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Annual Reports

of the

*Police and Fire
Departments*

under the supervision
of the

*Board of Police and Fire
Commissioners*

of the

City of Grand Rapids
Michigan



For the Year Ending April Thirtieth
Nineteen Hundred Sixteen

BOARD ORGANIZATION

For Year Ending April 30, 1916.

MICHAEL COLLETON (Resigned June 25, 1915)

President

JOHN G. DOAN

President (Unexpired term of M. Colleton)

HARLEY W. NELSON

Secretary

MEMBERS

MICHAEL COLLETON, 1916
(Resigned June, 1915)

JOHN G. DOAN, 1916
(Unexpired term of M. Colleton)

WILLIAM E. ELLIOTT, 1917

JOHN TIMMER, 1918
(Resigned April, 1916)

JACOB RAUSCHENBERGER, 1918
(Unexpired term of John Timmer)

HORACE W. HAKES, 1919
(Resigned April, 1916)

CONNOR H. SMITH, 1919
(Unexpired term of Horace W. Hakes)

LOUIS C. BRAUDY, 1920

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LOUIS C. BRAUDY

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Finance

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WILLIAM E. ELLIOTT

Rules and Ordinances

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JACOB RAUSCHENBERGER

OFFICE OF THE
BOARD OF POLICE AND FIRE
COMMISSIONERS

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 1, 1916.

To the Honorable Board of Police and Fire Commissioners:

Gentlemen: I herewith submit the annual reports of the Police and Fire Departments for the year ending April 30, 1916.

Respectfully submitted,

H. W. NELSON,
Secretary.

ANNUAL REPORT

GRAND RAPIDS POLICE DEPARTMENT

STATISTICS

PERTAINING TO THE POLICE DEPARTMENT TOGETHER
WITH MISCELLANEOUS WORK
THE FORCE—APRIL 30, 1916

Rank	Name	Nativity	Date of Appointment	Years Service
Superintendent	Albert A. Carroll.....	Iowa.....	July 9, 1914	1
Captain	Dennis Millaley.....	Canada.....	Mar. 6, 1884	33
Lieutenant	Thomas Howell.....	Michigan.....	Sep. 10, 1885	30
First Sergeant	James Whelan.....	Michigan.....	Oct. 30, 1891	24
Second Sergeant.....	John Conlon.....	Canada.....	Sep. 16, 1886	28
Third Sergeant.....	Simon F. Steckle.....	Michigan.....	Mar. 26, 1891	28
Fourth Sergeant.....	Lyman B. Wilson.....	Iowa.....	Mar. 11, 1905	11
Fifth Sergeant	George W. Spring.....	Michigan.....	Mar. 26, 1891	25
Detective	William Young.....	Michigan.....	Feb. 1, 1895	21
Detective	Alex N. McDonald.....	Canada.....	Nov. 30, 1890	25
Detective	Warren Sturgis.....	Canada.....	Feb. 19, 1892	24
Detective	Garret Doyle.....	Michigan.....	Sep. 22, 1901	14
Detective	J. William Dunn.....	Iowa.....	Oct. 9, 1903	12
Detective	Thomas D. Blinston.....	Michigan.....	Apr. 2, 1897	19
Detective	John J. O'Leary.....	Ohio.....	Apr. 2, 1897	19
Detective	Jesse M. Hammond.....	Indiana.....	Nov. 21, 1898	17
Bertillon Officer.....	Fred W. Weber.....	Michigan.....	Sep. 5, 1885	30
Sealer of W. and M.	John J. Byrne.....	Michigan.....	June 30, 1893	22
Wagon Conductor.....	Timothy Madigan.....	Michigan.....	Mar. 5, 1885	31
Wagon Conductor.....	Charles R. Hunt.....	New York.....	Apr. 22, 1892	24
Wagon Conductor.....	Nicholas J. VanDine.....	New York.....	May 15, 1887	28
Special Officer.....	William H. Steed.....	Pennsylvania.....	Oct. 10, 1890	25
Special Officer.....	Samuel Slater.....	Canada.....	May 18, 1901	14
Court Officer.....	William Tatroe.....	Michigan.....	Jan. 8, 1892	24
Turnkey	Michael H. Connor.....	Canada.....	Dec. 27, 1888	27
Turnkey	Stephan Hale.....	Michigan.....	June 21, 1895	19
Truant Officer.....	Chas. J. B. Larson.....	Michigan.....	Nov. 21, 1898	17
Patrolman	Alfred Hemstreet.....	New York.....	Sep. 28, 1887	28
Patrolman	James Reardon.....	Michigan.....	Dec. 22, 1892	23
Patrolman	George Haessig.....	Missouri.....	June 9, 1894	21
Patrolman	Theodore Spannagel.....	Ohio.....	Oct. 26, 1894	21
Patrolman	Millard F. Davis.....	New York.....	Oct. 26, 1894	21
Patrolman	William A. Brennan.....	New York.....	Oct. 26, 1894	21
Patrolman	Matthew Fitzpatrick.....	Michigan.....	June 21, 1895	20
Patrolman	George B. Wells.....	Michigan.....	June 21, 1895	20
Patrolman	John Minogue.....	Michigan.....	Oct. 25, 1895	20
Patrolman	Jos. E. Morrissey.....	Michigan.....	July 3, 1896	19
Patrolman	John Mackie.....	Scotland.....	Dec. 24, 1897	18
Patrolman	John J. Quick.....	Michigan.....	Dec. 24, 1897	18
Patrolman	John Morrissey.....	Michigan.....	Sep. 26, 1902	13
Patrolman	William J. Lennon.....	Michigan.....	Oct. 9, 1903	12
Patrolman	Byron J. Patterson.....	Michigan.....	Oct. 9, 1903	12
Patrolman	John J. Lemke.....	Germany.....	Oct. 9, 1903	12
Patrolman	William H. Merren.....	Michigan.....	Nov. 12, 1904	12
Patrolman	Corn. Steenport.....	Holland.....	Nov. 12, 1904	12
Patrolman	Willard Barrett.....	Michigan.....	Mar. 11, 1905	11
Patrolman	Walter H. Douglas.....	Michigan.....	Oct. 21, 1905	10
Patrolman	Dezera Charon.....	Michigan.....	Oct. 21, 1905	10
Patrolman	John Murphy.....	Michigan.....	Jan. 16, 1906	10
Patrolman	Charles B. Hoar.....	Michigan.....	Jan. 13, 1906	10
Patrolman	William J. Baker.....	Canada.....	July 14, 1906	9
Patrolman	Albert Snyder.....	Michigan.....	July 14, 1906	9
Patrolman	William Hillary.....	Ireland.....	Sep. 29, 1906	9
Patrolman	Chas. H. McCarthy.....	Michigan.....	Mar. 2, 1907	9
Patrolman	Andrew VanderWeide.....	Holland.....	Aug. 5, 1907	8
Patrolman	William H. Bulliss.....	Michigan.....	Sep. 28, 1907	8

CITY OF GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

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THE FORCE APRIL 30, 1916—Continued

Rank	Name	Nativity	Date of Appointment	Years Service
Patrolman	Fred E. Blain	Michigan	Oct. 26, 1907	8
Patrolman	Daniel H. Powers	Michigan	Dec. 28, 1907	8
Patrolman	George Burleson	Michigan	Mar. 21, 1908	8
Patrolman	Harland Inwood	Michigan	Mar. 21, 1908	8
Patrolman	Chas. H. Wolgemuth	Michigan	June 26, 1908	7
Patrolman	John Stegenga	Michigan	Feb. 6, 1909	7
Patrolman	Frank O'Malley	Minnesota	Sep. 1, 1909	6
Patrolman	Elmer Graves	Indiana	Feb. 10, 1910	6
Patrolman	John A. Mathews	Michigan	June 9, 1910	5
Patrolman	Harvey VanKoughnet	Michigan	Sep. 22, 1910	5
Patrolman	Wm. B. Thompson	New York	Sep. 22, 1910	5
Patrolman	Edward Jannenga	Michigan	Apr. 20, 1911	5
Patrolman	Holger G. Hansen	Michigan	July 6, 1911	4
Patrolman	Charles H. Smith	Michigan	July 6, 1911	4
Patrolman	George Hastings	Canada	July 6, 1911	4
Patrolman	John Oshinski	Pennsylvania	July 6, 1911	4
Patrolman	Ralph Brooks	Michigan	July 6, 1911	4
Patrolman	Jos. G. Keller	Michigan	July 6, 1911	4
Patrolman	Oral Channess	Indiana	Sep. 7, 1911	4
Patrolman	Milo E. Greene	Michigan	Nov. 6, 1911	4
Patrolman	Hanan E. Balch	Michigan	June 29, 1912	3
Patrolman	E. T. Gunnison	Michigan	Oct. 12, 1912	3
Patrolman	A. P. Fansler	Michigan	Oct. 19, 1912	3
Patrolman	Richard C. Friday	Michigan	Nov. 27, 1912	3
Patrolman	Barney Parkhill	Nebraska	May 10, 1913	2
Patrolman	W. Herman Connor	Canada	June 27, 1913	2
Patrolman	Richard C. Wyman	Michigan	June 27, 1913	2
Patrolman	Walter E. Thompson	Michigan	Aug. 13, 1913	2
Patrolman	William Piette	Michigan	Aug. 13, 1913	2
Patrolman	Michael J. Lynch	Michigan	Aug. 16, 1913	2
Patrolman	Richard Mulder	Holland	Oct. 10, 1913	2
Patrolman	Archie Nieder	Michigan	Oct. 10, 1913	2
Patrolman	Albert F. Scheiern	Michigan	Oct. 10, 1913	2
Patrolman	Norman Fiske	Michigan	Oct. 10, 1913	2
Patrolman	Benj. I. DeWitt	S. Dakota	Oct. 10, 1913	2
Patrolman	A. P. Garrison	Michigan	Dec. 14, 1913	2
Patrolman	Cornelius Wyman	Michigan	Dec. 11, 1913	2
Patrolman	R. Herman Moss	Michigan	Dec. 11, 1913	2
Patrolman	Horace A. Caudle	N. Carolina	Dec. 11, 1913	2
Patrolman	John Fennema	Holland	Jan. 13, 1914	2
Patrolman	Harry DeYoung	Michigan	Jan. 13, 1914	2
Patrolman	John Morduff	Michigan	Jan. 13, 1914	2
Patrolman	Samuel Wanner	Michigan	Jan. 13, 1914	2
Patrolman	William M. Stinson	Michigan	Jan. 13, 1914	2
Patrolman	Lyman B. Faust	Michigan	Apr. 2, 1914	2
Patrolman	Thomas T. Wild	Ohio	July 23, 1914	1
Patrolman	Matthew Fritzen	Michigan	July 23, 1914	1
Patrolman	George E. Lyon	Michigan	July 23, 1914	1
Patrolman	Otis V. Dilley	Michigan	July 23, 1914	1
Patrolman	Herbert E. Benham	Michigan	July 23, 1914	1
Patrolman	Clarence Boynton	Michigan	Oct. 2, 1914	1
Patrolman	Emmet Burley	Michigan	Oct. 2, 1914	1
Patrolman	George N. Cook	Canada	Feb. 19, 1915	1
Patrolman	George Telder	Michigan	Feb. 19, 1915	1
Patrolman	Monte Cootes	Michigan	Feb. 19, 1915	1
Patrolman	Henry Maher	Ohio	Feb. 19, 1915	1
Patrolman	Lenial F. Williams	Missouri	June 18, 1915	.....
Patrolman	Alphonsus N. Green	Michigan	June 18, 1915	.....
Patrolman	John Griffith	Indiana	June 18, 1915	.....
Patrolman	Clyde Deming	Pennsylvania	June 18, 1915	.....
Patrolman	James Collins	Michigan	Sep. 18, 1915	.....
Patrolman	Peter DeYoung	Michigan	Sep. 18, 1915	.....
Patrolman	George Miller	Pennsylvania	Sep. 18, 1915	.....
Patrolman	William J. Roe	Michigan	Sep. 18, 1915	.....
Patrolman	Conn Sullivan	Michigan	Sep. 18, 1915	.....
Patrolman	Ray Stratton	Michigan	Sep. 18, 1915	.....
Patrolman	Arthur Stonehouse	Michigan	Sep. 18, 1915	.....

THE FORCE APRIL 30, 1916—Continued

Rank	Name	Nativity	Date of Appointment	Years Service
Patrolman	Peter J. Thomas.....	Michigan.....	Sep. 18, 1915	....
Patrolman	Fred Walsteed.....	Michigan.....	Sep. 18, 1915	....
Patrolman	Joseph Walenga.....	Michigan.....	Sep. 18, 1915	....
Patrolman	John C. Waters.....	Michigan.....	Dec. 11, 1915	4
Patrolman	Harry Downing.....	Michigan.....	Feb. 5, 1916	....
Patrolman	Corn. Tuinman.....	Michigan.....	Feb. 5, 1916	....
Patrolman	Harry A. Willyard.....	Michigan.....	Feb. 5, 1916	....
Patrolman	John Velthouse.....	Michigan.....	Feb. 5, 1916	....
Patrolman	Clyde Goble.....	Michigan.....	Feb. 5, 1916	....
Patrolman	Paul Krantz.....	Michigan.....	Feb. 5, 1916	....
Patrolman	Roy Brothers.....	Michigan.....	Feb. 5, 1916	....
Electrician	Lewis E. Walker.....	Michigan.....	May 1, 1914	2
Clerk	Vernon J. Twyning.....	Michigan.....	Sep. 16, 1907	10
Clerk	Seward S. Stoecker.....	New Jersey.....	May 10, 1911	4
Clerk	Edgar S. Aldridge.....	New York.....	May 1, 1914	1
Clerk	Walter C. Rybarsyk.....	Michigan.....	Nov. 22, 1915	....
Signal Operator.....	James Bird.....	Michigan.....	Jan. 23, 1909	7
Signal Operator.....	Floyd B. Fisher.....	Michigan.....	Oct. 1, 1913	2
Signal Operator.....	Donald Stoecker.....	Michigan.....	Jan. 19, 1915	....
Chauffeur	Roy Musselman.....	Michigan.....	Dec. 8, 1910	5
Chauffeur	Frank C. Power.....	Michigan.....	Aug. 1, 1911	4
Chauffeur	George L. Hartson.....	Michigan.....	Oct. 1, 1911	4
Chauffeur	George S. Sage.....	Michigan.....	Mar. 17, 1915	1
Chauffeur	Chas. Blachley.....	Michigan.....	July 18, 1913	2
Poundmaster	Ray Sprague.....	Michigan.....	Oct. 26, 1907	8
Poundkeeper	Leroy A. Smith.....	Michigan.....	Nov. 4, 1892	23
Janitor	Peter Esch.....	Michigan.....	June 12, 1891	24
Janitor	Michael McCormick.....	Michigan.....	Apr. 1, 1891	15
Matron	Bernice Whipple.....	Michigan.....	Oct. 12, 1911	4

DEPARTMENT ORGANIZATION

Superintendent	1
Captain	1
Lieutenant	1
Sergeants	5
Detectives	8
Bertillon Operator	1
Sealer Weights and Measures.....	1
Patrol Wagon Conductors.....	3
Court Officer	1
Special Officers	2
Turnkeys	2
Traffic Officers, Corner duty.....	14
Traffic Officers, Depot duty.....	2
Traffic Officer, Special duty.....	1
Patrolmen	90
Truant Officer	1
Office Clerks	4
Signal Operators	3
Chauffeurs	5
Poundmaster	1
Poundkeeper	1
Janitors	2
Matron	1
Total	151

POLICE DEPARTMENT

COMPENSATION, Year 1915-1916

	Per Day	Per Year
Superintendent	\$ 6 85	\$2,500 00
Captain	4 65 $\frac{3}{4}$	1,700 00
Lieutenant	3 97 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,450 00
Sergeants (5)	3 56 $\frac{1}{6}$	1,300 00
Detectives (8)	3 61	1,317 65
Bertillon Operator	3 42 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,250 00
Sealer Weights and Measures.....	3 00	1,095 00
Truant Officer	3 00	1,095 00
Poundmaster	3 00	1,095 00
Poundkeeper	2 72	992 80
Court Officer	3 00	1,095 00
Turnkeys (2)	3 00	1,095 00
Clerks (4)	2 25	821 25
Conductors—Patrolmen and Chauffeurs		
1st Year	2 25	821 25
2nd Year	2 50	912 50
3rd Year	2 75	1,003 75
4th Year and after.....	3 00	1,095 00
Matron	2 25	821 25
Janitors (2)	2 50	912 50
SIGNAL SERVICE DEPARTMENT		
Superintendent ($\frac{1}{3}$ Police— $\frac{2}{3}$ Fire).....	5 20 $\frac{2}{3}$	1,900 00
Electrician	2 85	1,040 25
Signal Operators (3).....	2 07 $\frac{1}{8}$	756 00

INVENTORY POLICE DEPARTMENT

	Size of Lot	Value of Land	Value of Building	Value of Furniture and Fixtures	Total Value
Police Headquarters Building.....	140 x 100 ft.	\$ 22,800.00	\$82,000.00	\$15,882.30	.....
City Pound .....	.....	.....	2,200.00	.....	.....
Police Signal Department.....	.....	.....	.....	17,888.48	\$140,570.78

APPOINTMENTS

Name	Rank	Date of Appointment	Remarks
William S. Barnes.....	Patrolman.....	June 19, 1915	
Harry Steele.....	Patrolman.....	June 19, 1915	
R. A. Richardson.....	Patrolman.....	June 19, 1915	
John McCall.....	Patrolman.....	June 19, 1915	
J. L. Kavanaugh.....	Patrolman.....	June 19, 1915	
Donald Stoepker.....	Signal Operator.....	June 19, 1915	
Garry Pierce.....	Patrolman.....	June 19, 1915	
Glen Hill.....	Patrolman.....	June 19, 1915	
Lenial F. Williams.....	Patrolman.....	June 19, 1915	
A. N. Greene.....	Patrolman.....	June 19, 1915	
Henry VanHeek.....	Patrolman.....	June 19, 1915	
John Griffith.....	Patrolman.....	June 19, 1915	
Edward Gordon.....	Patrolman.....	June 19, 1915	
Clyde Deming.....	Patrolman.....	June 19, 1915	
Edward Jennings.....	Patrolman.....	June 19, 1915	
Erwin H. Gardner.....	Patrolman.....	June 19, 1915	
John C. Bancroft.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 25, 1915	
Henry J. Murray.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 30, 1915	
Harry G. Bowen.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 25, 1915	
John J. Baker.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 25, 1915	
James E. Collins.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 25, 1915	
*Peter DeYoung.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 25, 1915	
George Miller.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 25, 1915	
Alex C. Morris.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 25, 1915	
Fred Walstead.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 25, 1915	
Joseph Walenga.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 25, 1915	
Garritt Nordhof.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 25, 1915	
John M. O'Brien.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 25, 1915	
William J. Roe.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 25, 1915	
Conn Sullivan.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 25, 1915	
Jesse Sawyer.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 25, 1915	
Ray Stratton.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 25, 1915	
Arthur Stonehouse.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 25, 1915	
Peter J. Thomas.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 25, 1915	
Vern Bigelow.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 25, 1915	
Walter C. Rybarsyk.....	Clerk.....	Nov. 22, 1915	
John C. Waters.....	Patrolman.....	Dec. 11, 1915	
Harry Downing.....	Patrolman.....	Feb. 12, 1916	
George Spaulding.....	Patrolman.....	Feb. 12, 1916	
Cornelius Tuinman.....	Patrolman.....	Feb. 12, 1916	
Henry A. Willyard.....	Patrolman.....	Feb. 12, 1916	
John Velthouse.....	Patrolman.....	Feb. 12, 1916	
Clyde Goble.....	Patrolman.....	Feb. 12, 1916	
Paul Krantz.....	Patrolman.....	Feb. 12, 1916	
Roy Brothers.....	Patrolman.....	Feb. 12, 1916	
Denver D. Lake.....	Patrolman.....	Feb. 12, 1916	

* Reinstated January 12, 1916.

RESIGNATIONS

Name	Rank	Date
George S. Douglas.....	Patrolman.....	May 1, 1915
Hugh O. Turney.....	Patrolman.....	May 24, 1915
James Jenkins.....	Patrolman.....	June 1, 1915
Charles E. Rogers.....	Patrolman.....	June 19, 1915
Richard VanNeuern.....	Patrolman.....	June 21, 1915
Frank Kuhn.....	Patrolman.....	June 24, 1915
Edward Jennings.....	Patrolman.....	June 22, 1915
Ray C. Conlon.....	Patrolman.....	July 1, 1915
Fred Bremer.....	Patrolman.....	July 8, 1915
John McCall.....	Patrolman.....	July 12, 1915
Maynard Fletcher.....	Patrolman.....	July 25, 1915
Earl C. Bennett.....	Patrolman.....	July 20, 1915
George H. Oppenneer.....	Patrolman.....	July 18, 1915
Frank Simmons.....	Patrolman.....	July 19, 1915
Lloyd Sigler.....	Patrolman.....	July 23, 1915
Henry VerHeek.....	Patrolman.....	July 24, 1915
Garry Pierce.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 17, 1915
John McGhan.....	Patrolman.....	Sept. 23, 1915
Erwin H. Gardner.....	Patrolman.....	Oct. 2, 1915
Alex C. Morriss.....	Patrolman.....	Oct. 3, 1915
John L. Kavanaugh.....	Patrolman.....	Oct. 18, 1915
Vern Bigelow.....	Patrolman.....	Oct. 13, 1915
Ernest G. Schill.....	Signal Operator.....	Oct. 16, 1915
William C. Zech.....	Patrolman.....	Oct. 26, 1915
R. A. Richardson.....	Patrolman.....	Nov. 25, 1915
John J. Baker.....	Patrolman.....	Nov. 22, 1915
Charles W. Ashton.....	Special Officer.....	Dec. 8, 1915
John C. Bancroft.....	Patrolman.....	Dec. 4, 1915
Terry H. Connell.....	Patrolman.....	Dec. 22, 1915
Claude Stoepker.....	Patrolman.....	Jan. 2, 1916
Henry J. Murray.....	Patrolman.....	Jan. 10, 1916
George Brandsma.....	Patrolman.....	Jan. 16, 1916
Benj. F. Gaskill.....	Patrolman.....	Jan. 21, 1916
Harry G. Bowen.....	Patrolman.....	Jan. 17, 1916
*Peter DeYoung.....	Patrolman.....	Jan. 17, 1916
Glen Hill.....	Patrolman.....	Feb. 16, 1916
John M. O'Brien.....	Patrolman.....	Feb. 24, 1916
William E. Higgins.....	Patrolman.....	Mar. 8, 1916
Albert E. Haan.....	Patrolman.....	Mar. 13, 1916
Ralph F. Robbins.....	Patrolman.....	Mar. 26, 1916
Ernest Trusdell.....	Patrolman.....	Apr. 2, 1916
Denver D. Lake.....	Patrolman.....	Apr. 4, 1916
Gerrit Nordhof.....	Patrolman.....	Apr. 11, 1916
George Spaulding.....	Patrolman.....	Apr. 6, 1916
John DeMull.....	Patrolman.....	Apr. 8, 1916
Claude M. Gitchell.....	Patrolman.....	Apr. 26, 1916

* Reinstated January 20, 1916.

CASES OF DISCIPLINE

No	Charge	Disposition
1	Violation of the rules.....	Dismissed
1	Conduct unbecoming an officer.....	Dismissed
1	For good of service.....	Dismissed

NUMBER OF DAYS LOST

By Sickness, Absence with Leave and Suspension During the Year

Rank	Name	Sick- ness	Dis- ability	Absent with Leave	Sus- pen- sions	Total
Captain	Dennis Millaley.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Captain	John Johnson.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lieutenant	Thomas Howell.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sergeant, 1st.....	James Whelan.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sergeant, 2nd.....	John Conlon.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sergeant, 3rd.....	Simon F. Steckle.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sergeant, 4th.....	George Spring.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sergeant, 5th.....	Lyman B. Wilson.....	.....	24	.....	.....	24
Detective	William Youngs.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Detective	Alex. McDonald.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Detective	Warren Sturgis.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Detective	Garret Doyle.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Detective	J. Wm. Dunn.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Detective	Thos. D. Blinston.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Detective	John J. O'Leary.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Detective	Jesse M. Hammond.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bertillon Operator	Fred W. Weber.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sealer of W. and M.	John J. Byrne.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Truant Officer.....	Chas. J. B. Larson.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Special Officer.....	William Steed.....	1	.....	1/2	.....	1 1/2
Special Officer.....	Samuel Slater.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Court Officer.....	William Tatroe.....	.....	.....	5 1/2	.....	5 1/2
Auto Conductor.....	Timothy Madigan.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Auto Conductor.....	N. J. Van Dine.....	11	.....	.....	.....	11
Auto Conductor.....	Charles R. Hunt.....	2	.....	1	.....	3
Turnkey	Michael Connor.....	23	.....	.....	.....	23
Turnkey	Stephen Hale.....	.....	.....	5 1/2	.....	5 1/2
Turnkey	Thomas Maher.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Recorder	Vernon J. Twynning.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Office Clerk.....	Seward S. Stoepker.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Office Clerk.....	Edgar S. Aldridge.....	.....	.....	5 1/2	.....	5 1/2
Office Clerk.....	W. C. Rybarysk.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Patrolman	Alfred Hemdreet.....	7	.....	1/2	.....	7 1/2
Patrolman	James Reardon.....	3 1/2	.....	1	.....	4 1/2
Patrolman	George Haessig.....	1	.....	1	.....	2
Patrolman	Theo. Spannagel.....	1/2	.....	2	.....	2 1/2
Patrolman	Millard F. Davis.....	5	.....	14 1/2	.....	19 1/2
Patrolman	Wm. A. Brennan.....	7	.....	.....	.....	7
Patrolman	M. Fitzpatrick.....	1	.....	3	.....	4
Patrolman	John Minogue.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Patrolman	George B. Wells.....	3	40	2	.....	45
Patrolman	J. E. Morrissey.....	2	.....	.....	.....	2
Patrolman	John J. Quick.....	6 1/2	.....	.....	.....	6 1/2
Patrolman	John Mackie.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Patrolman	John Morrissey.....	.....	.....	1/2	.....	1/2
Patrolman	Benj. Havens.....	.....	.....	1/4	.....	1/4
Patrolman	Wm. J. Lennon.....	.....	.....	12	.....	12
Patrolman	B. J. Patterson.....	4	.....	1/2	.....	4 1/2
Patrolman	John J. Lemke.....	1/2	.....	1	.....	1 1/2
Patrolman	Wm. H. Merren.....	8 1/2	.....	16	5	29 1/2
Patrolman	Corn. Steenport.....	1	.....	1/2	.....	1 1/2
Patrolman	Wm. E. Higgins.....	5	.....	.....	.....	5
Patrolman	Willard Barrett.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1
Patrolman	W. H. Douglas.....	4 1/2	.....	1/2	.....	5
Patrolman	Dezera Charon.....	.....	.....	5 3/4	.....	5 3/4
Patrolman	John Murphy.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Patrolman	Charles B. Hoar.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1
Patrolman	William J. Baker.....	5	.....	1 1/2	.....	6 1/2
Patrolman	Albert Snyder.....	1	.....	8	.....	9
Patrolman	William Hillary.....	.....	.....	3 1/2	.....	3 1/2
Patrolman	C. H. McCarthy.....	1 1/2	.....	1 1/4	.....	2 3/4
Patrolman	Maynard Fletcher.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Patrolman	A. Van Der Weide.....	.....	.....	3 1/2	.....	3 1/2
Patrolman	William H. Bulliss.....	3	43	.....	.....	46
Patrolman	Fred E. Blain.....	1	.....	1	.....	2
Patrolman	Daniel H. Powers.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Patrolman	George Burleson.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Patrolman	Harlan Inwood.....	4 1/2	.....	.....	.....	4 1/2
Patrolman	Ray C. Conlon.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

BOARD OF POLICE AND FIRE COMMISSIONERS

NUMBER OF DAYS LOST—Continued

Rank	Name	Sick- ness	Dis- ability	Absent with Leave	Sus- pen- sions	Total
Patrolman	C. H. Wolgemuth	1	53	3¼		57¼
Patrolman	John Stegenga			2½		2½
Patrolman	Richard Coles				12	12
Patrolman	Frank O'Malley	4½		2		6½
Patrolman	Elmer Graves	1		2½		3½
Patrolman	John Mathews			2		2
Patrolman	H. Van Koughnet	2½	29¾			32¼
Patrolman	Wm. B. Thompson	2		½		2½
Patrolman	Juda Bazzett			1		1
Patrolman	Edward Jannenga	7		3		10
Patrolman	George Hastings	20	½			20½
Patrolman	Holger Hansen			3		3
Patrolman	Chas. H. Smith			1		1
Patrolman	Ralph Brooks	1		½		1½
Patrolman	John Oshinski	1		2		3
Patrolman	Joseph Keller					
Patrolman	Oral Channess	6½		1½		8
Patrolman	Milo E. Greene			5		5
Patrolman	Chas. L. Carsten			2	12¾	14¾
Patrolman	Hanan Balch	24		1½		25½
Patrolman	Ralph F. Robbins	19¼	23	1¼		43¾
Patrolman	E. T. Gunneson	8½		15		23½
Patrolman	Austin P. Fansler	27		5		32
Patrolman	Richard C. Friday					
Patrolman	Barney Parkhill	7½		3		10½
Patrolman	W. H. Connor	8½		5½		14
Patrolman	Richard Wyman	1¼		3		4¼
Patrolman	W. E. Thompson	1		3		4
Patrolman	Will Piette	13				13
Patrolman	M. J. Lynch	1½		3		4½
Patrolman	Richard Mulder	1		1		2
Patrolman	Archie Neider	4				4
Patrolman	A. F. Scheiern	2		1½		3½
Patrolman	Norman Fisk	5¼		2½		7¾
Patrolman	Benj. I. De Witt			2		2
Patrolman	A. P. Garrison	15½		2		17½
Patrolman	Cornelius Wyman	11¾		3		14¾
Patrolman	Herman Moss	4		14		18
Patrolman	Fred Bremer	10	2½			12½
Patrolman	Horace A. Caudle		7½	2		9½
Patrolman	John Fennema	3½				3½
Patrolman	Harry De Young	4½		2½		7
Patrolman	John Morduff	101		1½		102½
Patrolman	Earl C. Bennett	¾		3		3¾
Patrolman	Samuel Wanner	6¾		8½		15¼
Patrolman	Wm. M. Stinson			4½		4½
Patrolman	Geo. W. Oppenneer	53½				53½
Patrolman	William C. Zech	6½		11		17½
Patrolman	Lyman B. Faust	3		1		4
Patrolman	Chas. W. Ashton			5		5
Patrolman	Otis V. Dille	7		5		12
Patrolman	H. E. Benham	2				2
Patrolman	Thomas T. Wild	5¼		2½		7¾
Patrolman	Ernest Truesdell	2¾		1		3¾
Patrolman	Mathew Fritzen			2		2
Patrolman	George E. Lyon	5		9		14
Patrolman	T. H. Connell			1		1
Patrolman	Chas. H. Simmons	1		4		5
Patrolman	Clarence Boynton	6				6
Patrolman	Chas. E. Rogers	1		2		3
Patrolman	R. Van Neuren	1		1		2
Patrolman	John McGhan	1				1
Patrolman	George Brandsma			1½		1½
Patrolman	Arnold Lowitzky			1		1
Patrolman	Albert E. Haan			2½		2½
Patrolman	Sherman Homister	1¾				1¾
Patrolman	Claude M. Gitchell	2		2½		4½
Patrolman	Emmett Burley			4¾		4¾
Patrolman	Hugh O. Turney			4		4
Patrolman	H. A. Van Der Berg	27		2	2	31
Patrolman	Frank Simmon			2		2

NUMBER OF DAYS LOST—Continued

Rank	Name	Sick- ness	Dis- ability	Absent with Leave	Sus- pen- sions	Total
Patrolman	Claude Stoeper	5		3		8
Patrolman	Frank J. Kuhn	2		1		3
Patrolman	Henry Maher	8 $\frac{3}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	17 $\frac{1}{4}$		26 $\frac{1}{2}$
Patrolman	Joe Jenkins					
Patrolman	Monte H. Cootes	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	4		5 $\frac{1}{2}$
Patrolman	Lloyd Sigler	2		2		4
Patrolman	George N. Cook	16 $\frac{1}{4}$	15 $\frac{1}{2}$	2		33 $\frac{3}{4}$
Patrolman	George Telder	12 $\frac{1}{4}$		4		16 $\frac{1}{4}$
Patrolman	Benj. F. Gaskill	3 $\frac{1}{2}$		1		4 $\frac{1}{2}$
Patrolman	William S. Barnes					
Patrolman	Perry Steel					
Patrolman	R. A. Richardson	$\frac{1}{2}$		$\frac{1}{2}$		1
Patrolman	John McCaul			1		1
Patrolman	J. L. Kavanaugh	4		5		9
Patrolman	Garry Pierce	2		6 $\frac{1}{2}$		8 $\frac{1}{2}$
Patrolman	Glen Hill					
Patrolman	L. F. Williams	$\frac{3}{4}$		2		2 $\frac{3}{4}$
Patrolman	A. N. Green		1	7		8
Patrolman	Henry Ver Heek	5 $\frac{1}{2}$				5 $\frac{1}{2}$
Patrolman	John Griffiths			2		2
Patrolman	Edward T. Gordon	1			1	2
Patrolman	Clyde Deming	3				3
Patrolman	Edward Jennings					
Patrolman	Irwin H. Gardner	4 $\frac{3}{4}$				4 $\frac{3}{4}$
Patrolman	John C. Bancroft	1 $\frac{1}{2}$				1 $\frac{1}{2}$
Patrolman	Vern Bigelow	5		1		6
Patrolman	Harry C. Bowen	7		8		15
Patrolman	John J. Baker	2				2
Patrolman	James E. Collins			3		3
Patrolman	Peter De Young	2 $\frac{3}{4}$		5 $\frac{1}{2}$		8 $\frac{1}{4}$
Patrolman	George Miller	7		1		8
Patrolman	Henry Murray	8 $\frac{1}{2}$		1		9 $\frac{1}{2}$
Patrolman	Gerrit Nordhof	9		5		14
Patrolman	John H. O'Brien	5 $\frac{1}{4}$		9		14 $\frac{1}{4}$
Patrolman	William J. Roe					
Patrolman	John Stratingh			1 $\frac{1}{2}$		1 $\frac{1}{2}$
Patrolman	Conn Sullivan	1		10 $\frac{1}{4}$		11 $\frac{1}{4}$
Patrolman	Jesse Sawyer			3		3
Patrolman	Ray Stratton	3		1		4
Patrolman	Arthur Stonehouse	3 $\frac{3}{4}$		1		4 $\frac{3}{4}$
Patrolman	Peter J. Thomas	6	$\frac{1}{2}$	1		7 $\frac{1}{2}$
Patrolman	Fred Walsted	6 $\frac{1}{4}$	2 $\frac{3}{4}$	4		13
Patrolman	Joseph Walenga	5 $\frac{3}{4}$		1		6 $\frac{3}{4}$
Patrolman	John C. Waters	2				2
Patrolman	Harry Downing					
Patrolman	George Spaulding	3 $\frac{1}{2}$				3 $\frac{1}{2}$
Patrolman	John De Mull	1		2		3
Patrolman	Corn. Tuinman	17	3 $\frac{1}{2}$			20 $\frac{1}{2}$
Patrolman	Henry A. Willyard	9 $\frac{1}{4}$	2			11 $\frac{1}{4}$
Patrolman	John Velthouse			1		1
Patrolman	Clyde Goble					
Patrolman	Roy Brothers					
Patrolman	Paul Krantz	1 $\frac{3}{4}$				1 $\frac{3}{4}$
Patrolman	Denver D. Lake	16	$\frac{1}{2}$			16 $\frac{1}{2}$
Chauffeur	Roy Musselman					
Chauffeur	George Hartson			5		5
Chauffeur	Frank Power					
Chauffeur	Charles Blachley					
Chauffeur	George S. Sage	$\frac{1}{2}$				$\frac{1}{2}$
Operator	Ernest G. Schill					
Operator	James Bird					
Operator	Floyd C. Fisher					
Operator	Donald Stoeper			1		1
Poundmaster	Ray Sprague					
Poundkeeper	Leroy A. Smith	4				4
Janitor	Peter Esch					
Janitor	Michael McCormick					
Matron	Bernice Whipple					
Total time lost						1464 $\frac{3}{4}$

PENSION ROLL POLICE DEPARTMENT

Name	Rank	Date
Hannah Gast	Widow Detective Corn. Gast	June 29, 1912
Bradford T. Dean	Patrolman	June 28, 1913
Thomas Maher	Turnkey	Nov. 13, 1914
John Johnson	Captain	July 23, 1915
Harvey O. Carr	Superintendent	Nov. 26, 1915

MISCELLANEOUS WORK

Accidents reported	146
Accidents reported and assistance rendered.....	152
Arrests on warrant.....	506
Arrests made without warrant.....	1,697
Arrests made for outside officers.....	12
Arrests made on suspicion.....	154
Assistance rendered to persons having fits on street.....	26
Assistance rendered to sick persons on street.....	70
Attempts burglary discovered.....	35
Attempts suicide reported.....	8
Bursted water pipes discovered and reported.....	13
Bicycles brought to Headquarters.....	85
Broken electric light globes reported.....	4
Broken manhole covers reported to Board of Public Works.....	2
Coroner notified of mysterious deaths.....	2
Coroner notified of accidental deaths.....	4
Coroner notified of sudden deaths.....	3
Coroner notified of suicides.....	3
Doors found open and owners notified.....	406
Doors found open and secured.....	1,847
Dead animals reported to Garbage Department.....	59
Dangerous places in street reported to Board of Public Works....	23
Dangerous places in sidewalks reported to Board of Public Works	13
Deadly assaults reported.....	6
Dogs ordered killed.....	9
Dangerous awnings reported.....	6
Dangerous buildings reported.....	3
Dangerous electric wires reported.....	50
Dangerous places in bridges reported.....	5
Dangerous telephone poles reported.....	1
Disturbances called to without arrests.....	602
Disturbances called to with arrests.....	358
Delirious persons cared for.....	9
Drowned bodies recovered.....	3
Electric street and tower lights reported out.....	704
Escaped prisoners recaptured.....	1
Fires discovered and extinguished.....	5
Fires discovered and alarm given.....	13
Fires discovered and still alarm given.....	11
Horses and carriages taken to barns.....	29
Insane persons taken in charge.....	37
Lost children found and brought to Headquarters.....	34
Lost children found and returned home.....	31
Lost adults found and returned home.....	9
Leaking water hydrants reported to Board of Public Works.....	35
Leaking water mains reported to Board of Public Works.....	13
Nuisances reported	12
Poormaster notified of destitute persons.....	7
Persons rescued from river.....	1
Runaway horses caught.....	8
Runaway horses reported.....	3
Runaway boys caught.....	17
Runaway girls caught.....	4
Red lanterns placed at dangerous places in street.....	64
Store windows found open and secured.....	58

Store windows found open and owners notified.....	22
Store windows found open and Headquarters notified.....	51
Special details at theaters, balls, etc.....	519
Suicides prevented	2
Suicides reported	3
Stray horses and other animals caught.....	39
Safes discovered open and owners notified.....	47
Safes found open and locked.....	12
Sick, injured and destitute persons cared for.....	24
Sick or injured horses killed.....	5
Sick or injured dogs killed.....	17
Store lights reported out.....	595
Strange lights reported.....	382
Stolen rigs recovered.....	3
Stolen automobiles recovered.....	5
Showcases found open and secured.....	12
Showcases found open and owners notified.....	4
Trees in dangerous condition reported.....	7
Vicious dogs killed.....	3

MEALS FURNISHED PRISONERS

1915

May	263
June	277
July	327
August	315
September	308
October	407
November	197
December	286

1916

January	258
February	153
March	314
April	228
Total	3,333

LODGERS ACCOMMODATED

1915

May	98
June	47
July	21
August	51
September	33
October	49
November	141
December	196

1916

January	191
February	187
March	242
April	109
Total	1,365

SUMMARY OF POLICE ALARM, TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE SERVICE

May 1 to Sept. 15, 1915

Ambulance	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Total
Number of box calls	2	3	3	5	1	14
Number of telephone calls	36	46	50	61	20	213
Number of runs made	38	49	53	.....	21	161
Number of miles traveled	120½	134	185	188	70	697
Ambulance not wanted	1	5	2	6	1	15
Attempted suicides, to hospital	1	.....	1	.....	.....	2
Ambulance not-needed	4	.....	.....	2	.....	6
Insane persons, to Detention hospital .....	.....	1	3	3	1	8
Persons to headquarters, for investigation .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	2
Persons in fit, taken home	2	.....	4	4	1	11
Persons in fit, taken to hospital	3	4	.....	2	.....	9
Prisoners brought to headquarters	2	2	2	3	2	11
Reported sick or injured, cared for before arrival .....	.....	.....	2	1	1	4
Reported insane, gone on arrival .....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1
Reported sick or injured, dead on arrival .....	.....	1	1	1	.....	3
Runs without reports .....	.....	.....	1	1	2	4
Sick or injured taken to doctor's office .....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Sick or injured, taken home	13	11	13	18	5	60
Sick or injured, taken to hospital	8	21	22	.....	10	61
Sick or injured, taken to hospital on orders	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Sick or injured, refused to be moved .....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Persons in fit, taken to Detention hospital .....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Lodgers brought to headquarters .....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Delirious persons to Detention hospital .....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Persons in delirium tremens, Detention hospital .....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	2
Reported attempted suicide, no cause alarm	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Drowned bodies recovered	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Insane taken to Detention hospital on orders .....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2

SUMMARY OF POLICE ALARM, TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE SERVICE—Continued

May 1 to Sept. 15, 1915

Automobile	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Total
Number of reports received from patrolmen.....	48,914	45,164	48,789	44,926	20,196	207,989
Number of box calls.....	110	128	149	106	74	567
Number of telephone calls.....	181	218	207	208	107	921
Number of local calls.....	10	23	5	3	3	41
Number of fire calls.....	10	13	14	11	6	54
Total number of runs.....	311	382	375	325	190	1,583
Number of miles traveled.....	873½	984	901	910	435	4,103
After tramps.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2
Assisting and recovering drowned bodies.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Destitute persons to headquarters.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
False alarms.....	1	.....	1	.....	2	4
Insane persons taken to Detention hospital.....	1	3	3	.....	2	9
Lodgers brought to headquarters.....	.....	2	3	3	.....	8
Lost adults to headquarters.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1
Lost adults taken home.....	.....	1	1	3	.....	5
Lost children brought to headquarters.....	6	7	3	3	3	22
Lost children taken home.....	3	.....	1	4	1	9
Lost or stolen property to headquarters.....	4	1	8	.....	1	14
On matter of investigation.....	1	2	4	.....	.....	7
Lost adults, to County Poor Authorities.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Sick dogs removed to pound.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Prisoners taken to Superior Court.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Persons in fit, taken home.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Persons in fit, taken home to relatives.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Reported beggars, no cause arrest.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Persons in delirium tremens, taken to Detention hospital.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1
Sick persons taken to Detention hospital.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	3
Persons to headquarters, investigation.....	18	17	11	7	5	58
Persons to headquarters, safe-keeping.....	1	1	1	.....	.....	3
Persons to headquarters.....	225	256	265	241	151	1,138
Reported disturbance, quiet on arrival.....	7	5	14	14	3	43
Reported disturbance, no cause arrest.....	2	5	6	3	3	19

SUMMARY OF POLICE ALARM, TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE SERVICE—Concluded

May 1 to Sept. 15, 1915

Automobile	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Total
Reported drunk and disorderly persons, gone on arrival.....	7	10	14	8	8	47
Reported drunk and disorderly persons, quiet on arrival.....	1	3	7	1	2	14
Reported fight, parties gone on arrival.....	1	.....	.....	1	2	4
Reported insane persons, gone on arrival.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1
Reported suspicious characters, gone on arrival.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	2
Reported suspicious characters, no cause for alarm.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1
Runaway children, to headquarters.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	2
Runaway children, taken home.....	2	2	.....	.....	.....	4
Runs without report.....	48	66	22	30	18	184
Sick or injured, to headquarters.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	2
Sick or injured, taken home.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2
Sick or injured, taken to hospital.....	1	2	2	1	.....	6
Auto not wanted.....	1	3	1	.....	2	7
Auto not needed.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Reported drunk and disorderly persons, no cause for alarm.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Reported drunk and disorderly persons, quiet on arrival.....	.....	.....	1	2	.....	3
Grappling hooks taken to drowning scenes.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Destitute persons taken to County Superintendent of Poor.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1
Disorderly boys taken home.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Drowned bodies guarded.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1
Feeble-minded persons taken home.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Reported beggar, gone on arrival.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Reported suspicious characters, no cause for arrest.....	1	1
Reported fight, parties quiet on arrival.....	2	3	4	3	12

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The Police Department, from May 1, 1915, to October 1, 1915, operated under old system of keeping records. From October 1, 1915, to May 1, 1916, the new system of recording was established. This report contains figures for both periods, brought to a final recapitulation in such a manner as to cause no confusion.

TABLE No. 2—OFFENSES COMMITTED AGAINST PROPERTY WITH VIOLENCE

May 1 to October 1, 1915

OFFENSES	Sex		Total	Col- ored	White	Read and Write		For- eign- ers	Amer- icans	Min- ors	Held for Trial	Con- victed	Dis- ch'g'd
	Male	Fe- male				Yes	No						
Felonies—													
Arson	1	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....
Breaking and entering	1	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....
Burglary and larceny	5	.....	5	.....	5	5	.....	.....	5	1	5	.....	.....
Total	7	.....	7	.....	7	7	.....	.....	7	1	7	.....	.....

TABLE No. 3—OFFENSES AGAINST PROPERTY COMMITTED WITHOUT VIOLENCE
May 1 to October 1, 1915

OFFENSES	Sex		Total	Col- ored	White	Read and Write		For- eign- ers	Amer- icans	Min- ors	Held for Trial	Con- victed	Dis- ch'g'd
	Male	Fe- male				Yes	No						
Felonies—													
Animals, vehicles, etc., using without permission.....	9	.....	9	.....	9	9	.....	.....	9	.....	8	.....	1
Embezzlement of contract goods.....	1	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....
Embezzlement over \$25.....	2	.....	2	.....	2	2	.....	.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....
Forgery.....	2	.....	2	.....	2	2	.....	.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....
Larceny over \$25.....	7	.....	7	.....	7	7	.....	.....	7	.....	6	.....	1
Larceny from dwelling.....	7	.....	7	.....	7	7	.....	.....	7	.....	8	.....	.....
Larceny from person.....	1	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	.....	1	.....	2	.....	.....
Larceny from store.....	2	.....	2	.....	2	2	.....	.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....
Larceny from store.....	4	.....	4	.....	4	4	.....	.....	4	.....	5	.....	.....
Receiving stolen property valued over \$25.....	1	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....
Total.....	33	4	37	2	35	37	.....	1	36	.....	35	.....	2
Misdemeanors—													
Embezzlement, less than \$25.....	3	.....	3	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
False pretenses, obtaining goods, etc., less than \$25.....	2	.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
Larceny, less than \$25.....	59	2	61	.....	61	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9
Receiving stolen property, less than \$25.....	1	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Trespass.....	4	.....	4	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4
Total.....	69	2	71	.....	71	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	61	10
Combined totals.....	102	6	108	2	106	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	61	12

TABLE No. 4—OFFENSES COMMITTED AGAINST THE LICENSE LAWS
May 1 to October 1, 1915

OFFENSES	Sex		Total	Col- ored	White	Read and Write		For- eign- ers	Amer- icans	Min- ors	Held for Trial	Con- victed	Dis- ch'g'd
	Male	Fe- male				Yes	No						
Felonies—													
Liquor law, violation of.....	4		4		4	4		2	2		4		
Total													
Misdemeanors—													
Dog law, violation of.....	3		3		3								3
License ordinance, violation of.....	14		14		14							14	
Market ordinance, violation of.....	4		4		4							4	
Total	21		21		21							18	3
Combined totals	25		25		25						4	18	3

TABLE No. 6—OFFENSES NOT INCLUDED IN THE FOREGOING—Continued
May 1 to October 1, 1915

OFFENSES	Sex		Total	Col- ored	White	Read and Write		For- eign ers	Amer- icans	Min- ors	Held for Trial	Con- victed	Dis- ch'g'd
	Male	Fe- male				Yes	No						
Misdemeanors, Concluded—													
Family, refusing to support.....	14	.....	14	.....	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	6
Fire ordinance.....	2	.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Gaming and being present.....	4	.....	4	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....
Health ordinance.....	9	.....	9	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	.....
Mortar bus ordinance.....	11	.....	11	.....	11	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	.....
Park ordinance.....	1	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Poultry ordinance.....	5	.....	5	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....
Plumbing ordinance.....	2	.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Rooming house ordinance.....	2	2	4	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Surety of peace.....	1	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Street ordinance.....	9	.....	9	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Traffic ordinance.....	254	1	255	.....	255	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	1
Union Station ordinance.....	1	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	5
Vagrancy.....	236	3	239	8	231	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	2
Weight and measure ordinance.....	2	.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	237	2
Total.....	1824	44	1878	25	1853	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1842	36
Combined totals.....	1868	45	1923	25	1898	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24	1897	46

TABLE No. 8—RECAPITULATION
May 1 to October 1, 1915

	Sex		Total	Col- ored	White	Read and Write		For- eign- ers	Amer- icans	Min- ors	Held for Trial	Con- victed	Dis- ch'g'd
	Male	Fe- male				Yes	No						
Felonies—													
Table No. 1.....	14	.....	14	.....	14	14	.....	3	11	.....	8	.....	6
Table No. 2.....	7	.....	7	.....	7	7	.....	.....	7	1	7	.....	.....
Table No. 3.....	33	4	37	2	35	37	.....	1	36	.....	35	.....	2
Table No. 4.....	4	.....	4	.....	4	4	.....	2	2	.....	4	.....	.....
Table No. 5.....	9	4	13	.....	13	13	.....	5	8	.....	12	.....	1
Table No. 6.....	44	1	45	.....	45	45	.....	2	43	.....	24	16	5
Total.....	111	9	120	2	118	120	.....	13	97	.....	90	16	14
Misdemeanors—													
Table No. 1.....	52	4	56	.....	56	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	41	15
Table No. 2.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Table No. 3.....	69	2	71	.....	71	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	61	10
Table No. 4.....	21	.....	21	.....	21	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	3
Table No. 5.....	4	2	6	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	2
Table No. 6.....	1824	44	1878	25	1853	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1842	36
Total.....	1970	52	2022	25	2007	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1966	66
Grand total.....	2081	60	2152	27	2125	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	90	1982	80

For complete recapitulation of offenses see "Recapitulation for Entire Year."

NATIVITY OF PERSONS ARRESTED

Australia	1	Italy	1
Austria	1	Lithuania	2
Assyria	2	Mexico	1
Belgium	1	Norway	1
Canada	1	Poland	10
China	1	Roumania	1
Denmark	1	Russia	1
Egypt	1	Scotland	1
England	1	Sweden	1
Finland	1	Switzerland	1
France	1	Turkey	1
Greece	1	United States.....	78
Germany	5	Total Felonies.....	<u>120</u>
Holland	1	Total Misdemeanors, not	
Hungary	1	classified	2,032
Ireland	1	Grand Total	<u>2,152</u>

OCCUPATIONS OF PERSONS ARRESTED

Agent	3	Packer	1
Baker	1	Plumber	2
Boilermaker	4	Piano tuner	1
Brakeman	1	Printer	3
Cabinetmaker	4	Private Detective	1
Carver	1	Repairman	1
Carpenter	4	Roominghouse keeper	2
Chauffeur	3	Salesman	3
Clerk	1	Shoemaker	7
Cook	1	Student	1
Doctor	1	Switchman	2
Domestic	4	Tailor	1
Engineer	1	Tanner	1
Electrician	3	Teamster	2
Finisher	6	Upholsterer	1
Fireman	2	Wagonmaker	1
Garagekeeper	1	Waiter	2
Housekeeper	2	Woodturner	1
Housewife	3	Woodworker	1
Laborer	30	Window cleaner	1
Liveryman	1		
Machinehand	2	Total Felonies	120
Merchant	4		
Molder	1	Total Misdemeanors, not classified	2,032
Motorman	1	Grand Total	2,152

TABLE No. 1—CRIMINAL STATISTICS

Felonies—Continued

OFFENSES	No. of	Arrests	Warrants	Held for Trial	Refused to Prosecute	Discharged by Judge	Discharged by Supt	Referred to Juvenile Court	Settled out of Court	Gr'ndless	No Clue	Nolle Pros'd	Prosecuted under other Compl. Orders
Abandonment	6	5	6	5									
Adultery	1	2	1	2									
Assault, felonious	5	6	4	4				2					
Bastardy	1	1	1	1									
Bigamy	1	1	1	1									
Breaking and entering railroad car	1	2	1	1				2					
Breaking and entering store	3	1	1								1		1
Breaking jail	1	1	1	1									
Burglary	41	41	1					3		3	31		4
Burglary, attempted	4	1						1		1	2		
Burglary and larceny	77	39	13	13				25	1		56		
Carrying concealed weapons	13	14	11	9		2	3						
Driving auto away unlawfully	48	22	18	14	3		1	4		3	25		
Drunk, habitual	25	25	25	24		1							
Embezzlement	8	7	7	5		1			1				2
Forgery	11	6	4	3		1	2				5		
Gross indecency	2	2	1			1		1					
False pretenses	4	2	2			1			1		2		

TABLE No. 1—CRIMINAL STATISTICS

Felonies—Concluded

OFFENSES	No. of	Arrests	Warrants	Held for Trial	Refused to Prosecute	Discharged by Judge	Discharged by Supt	Referred to Juvenile Court	Settled out of Court	Grndless	No. Clue	Nolle Pros'd	Prosecuted under other Compl. Orders
Indecent liberties with child	6	5	5	5							1		
Larceny, attempted	1												
Larceny, grand	26	13	10	6	1		6			1	8		
Larceny from dwelling	22	5	3	3	1			1		1	7	2	4
Larceny from office	4	2	1	1				1			2		
Larceny from person	16	8	5	5			1		2	3	5		
Larceny from railroad car	1										1		
Larceny from room	3	1			1						2		
Larceny from shop	5	4	1				2	2		1	1		1
Larceny from store	16	14	6	6	1		7				1		
Larceny from store front	1										3		
Liquor law	1	1	1	1							1		
Murder	1	2	1	1			1						
Murder, attempted	1												
Manslaughter	2	2	1	1	1		1						
Rape	1	2	1	1									
Receiving stolen property	3	3	3	3									
Resisting or interfering with an officer	1	2	2	1		1							
Robbery	1	1	1	1									
Robbery, attempted	14	6	5	5			1			4	5		
	1	2					2						
Total	378	212	141	122	8	8	27	42	5	18	158		12

TABLE No. 2—CRIMINAL STATISTICS

Misdemeanors

OFFENSES	No. of	Ar- rests	War- rants	Con- victed	Re- fused to Prose- cute	Dis- charged by Judge	Dis- charged by Supt	Re- ferred to Ju- venile Court	Settl'd out of Court	Gr'nd- less	No Clue	Nolle Pros'd	Prose- cuted under other Compl. Orders
Assault and battery.....	36	37	40	30	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....
Begging.....	60	61	57	55	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Breach of peace.....	25	34	33	30	.....	3	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Contributing to delinquency of female child	1	1	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cruelty to animals.....	3	3	3	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Disorderly.....	84	102	80	72	.....	4	13	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Drunk.....	125	127	127	125	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Drunk and disorderly.....	1242	1242	1191	1185	.....	6	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Drunk.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Embezzlement.....	1	1	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
False pretenses.....	2	1	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Indecent exposure of person.....	2	2	2	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Larceny, simple.....	441	154	79	48	17	7	30	26	24	28	240	2	4
Larceny, simple, attempted.....	2	2	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Malicious injury to property.....	12	32	5	4	1	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	1	.....	.....
Non-support.....	9	9	9	4	.....	5	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Peace, to keep.....	1	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Reckless driving.....	2	2	2	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Slander.....	2	2	2	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Selling to minors.....	3	3	3	3	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vagrancy.....	53	58	53	50	.....	3	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	2106	1874	1690	1617	18	38	106	51	40	28	242	4	5

TABLE No. 3—CRIME TABLE

Felony—Condensed, Comparative

OFFENSES	Number of				Arrests				Held to Other Courts for Disp'n			
	1916	19.....	Per Cent		1916	19.....	Per Cent		1916	19.....	Per Cent	
			In-crease	De-crease			In-crease	De-crease			In-crease	De-crease
Assaults.....	5	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	.....
Burglaries.....	122	.....	.....	.....	43	.....	.....	.....	42	.....	.....	.....
Carrying concealed weapons.....	13	.....	.....	.....	14	.....	.....	.....	9	.....	.....	.....
Embezzlements.....	8	.....	.....	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....
Larcenies.....	136	.....	.....	.....	64	.....	.....	.....	38	.....	.....	.....
Murders.....	4	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....
Robberies.....	15	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....
Forgeries.....	11	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....
Miscellaneous.....	64	.....	.....	.....	58	.....	.....	.....	53	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	378	.....	.....	.....	212	.....	.....	.....	164	.....	.....	.....

TABLE No. 4—CRIME TABLE
Misdemeanor—Condensed, Comparative

OFFENSES	Number of				Arrests				Convictions			
	1916	19.....	Per Cent		1916	19.....	Per Cent		1916	19.....	Per Cent	
			In-	De-			In-	De-			In-	De-
			crease	crease								
Assault and battery.....	36	.....	.....	.....	37	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	.....	.....
Begging.....	60	.....	.....	.....	61	.....	.....	.....	55	.....	.....	.....
Disorderly conduct.....	209	.....	.....	.....	229	.....	.....	.....	197	.....	.....	.....
Disturbing the peace.....	25	.....	.....	.....	34	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	.....	.....
Drunk.....	1242	.....	.....	.....	1242	.....	.....	.....	1185	.....	.....	.....
Non-support.....	9	.....	.....	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....
Vagrancy.....	53	.....	.....	.....	58	.....	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	.....
Miscellaneous.....	472	.....	.....	.....	204	.....	.....	.....	66	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	2106	.....	.....	.....	1874	.....	.....	.....	1617	.....	.....	.....

TABLE No. 5
ORDINANCE CASES

OFFENSES	Number of			Warning			To Court			Court Disposition		
	1916	19...	Per Cent	1916	19...	Per Cent	1916	19...	Per Cent	Dis- missed	Sen- tence Sus- pend'd	Fined
Animals, poultry at large.....	46	.....	.....	46	.....	.....	157	.....	.....	2	4	151
Auto, speeding	168	.....	.....	11	.....	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	1	8
Bicycle	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
Building	2	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Dogs	26	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Drugs, distributing	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fire	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Firearms	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Health	11	.....	.....	7	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
License	14	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	12	.....	.....	2	5	2
Lodging House.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	2	.....	3
Nuisance	3	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Public conveyances.....	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	.....	3	2	7
Park	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	1
Plumbing	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Railroad	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Streets and alleys.....	6	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	4	1
Signs	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Traffic	956	.....	.....	850	.....	.....	106	.....	.....	4	21	81
Vehicle	9	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	2	5
Weights and measures.....	44	.....	.....	44	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	1318	.....	.....	995	.....	.....	323	.....	.....	14	43	266

TABLE No. 6
ORDINANCE CASES—Arranged Monthly

MONTHS	Number of			Warning				To Court			Court Disposition		
	1916	19...	Per Cent	1916	19...	Per Cent		1916	19...	Per Cent	Dis- missed	Sen- tence Sus- pend'd	Fined
						In- crease	De- crease						
October	127	.....	.....	14	.....	.....	.....	113	.....	.....	7	9	97
November	279	.....	.....	206	.....	.....	.....	73	.....	.....	1	13	59
December	233	.....	.....	18	.....	.....	.....	18	.....	.....	3	5	10
January	82	.....	.....	70	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	.....	1	5	6
February	96	.....	.....	88	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	3	5
March	158	.....	.....	127	.....	.....	.....	31	.....	.....	.....	4	26
April	343	.....	.....	275	.....	.....	.....	68	.....	.....	1	4	63
Total	1318	.....	.....	995	.....	.....	.....	323	.....	.....	14	43	266

TABLE No. 7—RECAPITULATION FOR ENTIRE YEAR

TABLES	Number of Cases	Arrests	Convictions	Warned and Released	Discharged	Held to Other Courts for Disposition	Miscellaneous Dispositions
New System—							
Table No. 1.....	378	212	.....	.....	35	164	13
Table No. 2.....	2106	1874	1617	.....	144	51	62
Table No. 5.....	1318	323	309	995	14	.....	.....
Total.....	3802	2409	1926	995	193	215	75
Old System—							
May 1 to October 1.....	.....	2151	1982	.....	80	90	.....
Combined totals.....	3302	4560	3908	995	273	305	75

TABLE No. 8—SUPERIOR COURT DISPOSITION OF POLICE CASES

OFFENSES	Convictions disposed of as follows								Dis- charg'd	Nolle Prosed	Total
	Fined	Sen- tence Sus- pended	Sen- tenced Jacks'n Penit.	Sen- tenced Mar- quette Penit.	Sen- tenced Ionia Ref'm.	Sen- tenced Kent County Jail	Sen- tenced to other Insti- tutions	Proba- tion			
Adultery.....	2	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2
Assault, felonious.....	3
Breaking and entering R. R. car.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Burglary and larceny.....	2	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	12
Breaking jail.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Concealed weapons, carrying.....	4	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	9
Driving auto away.....	2	.....	.....	4	1	.....	4	.....	.....	11
Embezzlement over \$25.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Forgery.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	3
Habitual drunkard.....	5	1	.....	13	.....	1	7	.....	.....	27
Indecent liberties, taking.....	1	.....	1
Indecent exposure of person.....	1	.....	1
Larceny over \$25.....	1	1	.....	5	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	9
Larceny from dwelling house.....	2	2	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	4
Larceny from office.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Larceny from shop.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	2
Larceny from store.....	2	1	1	3	1	.....	1	.....	.....	9
Larceny from person.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	2	.....	4

TABLE No. 8—SUPERIOR COURT DISPOSITION OF POLICE CASES—Concluded

OFFENSES	Convictions disposed of as follows								Dis- charg'd	Nolle Prose'd	Total
	Fined	Sen- tence Sus- pended	Sen- tenced Jacks'n Penit.	Sen- tenced Mar- quette Penit.	Sen- tenced Ionia Ref'm.	Sen- tenced Kent County Jail	Sen- tenced to other Insti- tutions	Proba- tion			
Lacivious cohabitation.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
Liquor to minors, selling.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Liquor law.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	11
Murder, assault with intent.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	2	.....	3
Perjury.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Pure food law.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Practicing medicine without license.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Rape, and assault to.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	3
Resisting an Officer.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Receiving stolen property valued over \$25.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	2
Robbery, and assault to.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
Wife desertion.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	1	.....	5
Total.....	12	18	11	4	33	4	1	37	15	.....	135

Total convictions, 120.

Table No. 9—JUVENILE COURT DISPOSITION OF POLICE CASES

OFFENSES	Convictions disposed of as follows					Discharged	Total
	Sentenced Lansing Industrial School for Boys	Sentenced Industrial School for Girls	Sentenced Other Institutions	Probation	Dismissed		
Misdemeanors—							
Auto speeding.....			.....	1	1	.....	2
Bicycle ordinance.....			.....	1	14	.....	15
Disorderly.....			.....	1	8	.....	9
Drunk.....			.....	1	.....	.....	1
Larceny less than \$25.....	3		.....	20	12	.....	35
Truancy.....	1		.....	19	4	.....	24
Malicious destruction property.....			.....	7	5	.....	12
Total.....	4	.....	.....	50	44	.....	98
Felonies—							
Assault with intent to do great bodily harm.....			.....	.....	2	.....	2
Burglary.....	2		.....	5	1	.....	8
Burglary, attempted.....			.....	1	.....	.....	1
Burglary and larceny.....	1		.....	9	7	1	18
Concealed weapons, carrying.....			.....	3	.....	.....	3
Fugitive.....	1		.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Gross indecency.....			.....	1	.....	.....	1
Larceny over \$25.....			.....	2	.....	.....	2
Larceny from Railroad car.....			.....	2	.....	.....	2
Larceny from office.....			.....	1	2	.....	3
Larceny from shop.....	1		.....	1	.....	.....	2
Driving auto away unlawfully.....	2		.....	3	.....	.....	5
Total.....	7	.....	.....	28	12	1	48
Combined totals.....	11	.....	.....	78	56	1	146

BOARD OF POLICE AND FIRE COMMISSIONERS

TABLE No. 10—MISCELLANEOUS DUTIES

	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	Total
Animals, at large	18	4	4	2	5	5	2	40
Animals, impounded	55	4	15	37	18	27	24	180
Animals, lost	5	13	9	14	3	6	9	59
Animals, removed	47	42	44	41	42	50	39	305
Animals, placed livery	3	2	2	1	1	5	3	17
Animals, neglected	.....	7	5	.....	.....	3	.....	15
Accidents responded to	19	38	49	16	21	13	12	168
Burst pipes reported	2	1	.....	.....	3	2	3	11
Bitten by dogs	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
Defective pavements, walks	1	8	4	4	2	9	18	46
Defective buildings	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Dangerous wires	2	8	3	3	3	1	3	23
Deaths, sudden	.....	3	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	5
Deaths, suicide	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	3	2	7
Deaths, mysterious	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Doors found open	455	420	342	345	343	202	356	2463
Dead bodies found	.....	1	.....	2	1	.....	.....	4
Fires attended	25	22	33	19	24	32	16	171
Leaking fire plugs	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Lost children	4	7	11	6	6	9	13	56
Lost people	3	10	8	4	3	6	7	41
Miscellaneous, property lost	17	18	14	10	7	7	4	77
Miscellaneous, property found	34	41	27	30	20	28	41	221
Missing persons reported	10	16	9	8	6	4	6	59
Mentally incompetent	1	5	4	10	8	16	9	53
Neglected children	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
Persons detained for investigation	19	16	18	13	5	4	13	88
Red lanterns placed	5	8	3	7	9	3	9	44
Runaway children reported	2	2	3	2	6	11	12	38
Sick cared for	13	33	14	5	12	28	19	124
Street lights out	150	205	150	235	178	138	110	1166
Store lights out	80	105	123	98	151	115	102	774
Suicides, attempted	1	1	.....	1	2	.....	.....	5
Windows broken or open	15	27	7	6	3	5	9	72
Total	989	1068	904	919	885	733	841	6339

TABLE No. 11—PROPERTY STOLEN AND RECOVERED
Arranged Monthly

	No. of Cases	Amount Stolen	Amount Recovered	Per Cent Recovered
1915—May	103	\$ 5,610.57	\$ 4,775.80	65.42
June	123	3,071.30	1,614.48	52.56
July	81	5,042.76	3,951.96	78.38
August	101	3,745.93	2,426.90	64.78
September	100	4,898.75	4,351.75	86.78
October	129	4,185.88	2,798.65	66.55
November	130	4,202.11	3,264.00	77.67
December	129	7,279.70	5,104.30	70.01
1916—January	114	3,809.59	2,460.00	64.57
February	66	1,493.75	1,171.50	78.42
March	85	4,209.46	3,609.30	90.93
April	104	2,232.15	2,029.80	85.73
Total.....	1265	\$49,781.95	\$37,558.44	75.4

TABLE No. 12—PROPERTY STOLEN AND RECOVERED
Classified—Continued

	Amount Stolen	Amount Recovered	Per Cent Recovered
Larceny committed on street or outside of buildings	\$ 5,613.21	\$ 2,930.50	52.2
Larceny from dwelling house	2,365.52	859.98	36.3
Larceny from person	791.90	434.00	54.2
Larceny from shop	751.70	151.25	20.1
Larceny from store	1,028.88	393.38	37.2
Larceny from rooms in blocks and hotels	711.33	295.75	41.5
Larceny from office	280.06	139.25	49.7
Larceny from railroad car	204.35	110.00	53.8
Larceny from front of store	32.30	.....	.....
Larceny from outhouse	508.77	309.25	60.7
Driving auto away	27,970.00	27,970.00	100.
Larceny unclassified	2,248.86	1,913.10	85.5
Burglary committed in house	1,724.16	326.00	18.9
Burglary committed in shop	264.25	47.50	17.9
Burglary committed in store	3,251.63	336.22	10.3
Burglary committed in office	527.50	18.00	3.4
Burglary committed in outhouse	170.72	20.80	12.1
Robbery	97.00	75.15	77.4
Recovered for other cities.....	1,239.81	1,228.31	99.3
Total.....	\$49,781.95	\$37,558.44	75.4

TABLE No. 13—ACCIDENT STATISTICS—Continued
October 1, 1915, to May 1, 1916

KIND	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	Total
Auto—Minor	15	17	14	4	6	11	16	83
Serious		1		1			5	7
Fatal								
Street Car—Minor	1	2	9	2		3	4	21
Serious	1	2		1			1	5
Fatal								
Motorcycle—Minor	3		1			2	1	7
Serious							1	1
Fatal								
Vehicle (horse)—Minor		3	5	3		1	4	16
Serious	2	1		2				5
Fatal								
Railroad—Minor								
Serious	1	2		1	1		2	7
Fatal	2		2	1	1	2		8
Bicycle—Minor	5	1					3	9
Serious								
Fatal								
Construction—Minor	1						2	3
Serious		1					1	3
Fatal		1						1

TABLE No. 13—ACCIDENT STATISTICS—Concluded

KIND	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	Total
Excavation—Minor							1	1
Serious								
Fatal			5	5	4	2	3	19
Sidewalk—Minor			1	2		1		4
Serious								
Fatal				1				1
accidental Burning—Minor				1	2	1		4
Serious								
Fatal			1	1				2
Overcome by Gas—Minor				1				
Serious								
Fatal						2	1	3
Accidental—Shooting	1							1
Poisoning				1				1
Drowning							1	1
Miscellaneous—Minor	7	7	8	1	7	4	7	41
Serious			3	2		5	4	14
Fatal						2		2
Total	39	38	49	29	21	37	57	270

AUTOMOBILE SERVICE—POLICE

Sept. 15, 1915, to April 30, 1916

	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	Calls	Items	Miles
Arrests	244	477	357	344	332	291	320	348	2713	.....	.....
Prisoners transferred	215	495	292	280	187	178	201	121	.....	1969	.....
Disturbances .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	72	108	118	86	.....	384	.....
Lost children	7	18	25	20	28	20	23	16	.....	157	.....
Miscellaneous	2	10	10	3	3	5	7	16	.....	56	.....
Miles traveled	54	92	52	75	131	67	71	149	.....	691	.....
Calls	397	740	581	892	604	485	566	512	.....	.....	4777
Total									2713	3257	4777

AUTOMOBILE SERVICE—AMBULANCE

Sept. 15, 1915, to April 30, 1916

	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	Calls	Items	Miles
Calls	31	41	49	67	47	46	67	54	402	.....	.....
Accidents attended	6	5	1	4	.....	3	13	6	.....	38	.....
Sick or injured conveyed	27	37	33	44	42	38	60	44	.....	325	.....
Bodies removed to morgue .....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	1	4	.....	7	.....
Not needed .....	.....	.....	.....	20	5	3	5	4	.....	37	.....
Miles traveled	107	135	104	198	143	119	189	83	.....	.....	1078
Total									402	407	1078

AUTOMOBILE SERVICE—FIRE

Sept. 15, 1915, to April 30, 1916

	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	Calls	Items	Miles
Fires attended	1	19	22	31	19	24	32	54	202	.....	.....
Miles traveled	2	53	43	67	58	71	83	40	.....	.....	417

MOTORCYCLE SERVICE—POLICE

Sept. 15, 1915, to April 30, 1916

	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	Calls	Items	Miles
Calls	40	82	67	50	8	.....	.....	.....	247	.....	.....
Arrests	3	7	6	1	2	.....	.....	.....	19	.....	.....
Disturbances	5	25	4	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	36	.....	.....
Suspicious characters	2	25	3	2	2	.....	.....	.....	34	.....	.....
Miscellaneous	30	25	54	45	4	.....	.....	.....	158	.....	.....
Miles traveled	110	243	206	142	23	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	724
Total .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	247	247	724
Fires attended .....	.....	2	2	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	5	.....
Miles traveled .....	.....	7	6	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15
Total .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	15
Combined totals .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	252	252	739

AUTOMOBILE SERVICE
Sept. 15, 1915, to April 30, 1916

	Calls	Items	Miles
Police	2713	3257	4777
Ambulance	402	407	1078
Fire	202	202	417
Total.....	3317	3866	6272

MOTOR VEHICLE SERVICE (Automobile-Motorcycle)—RECAPITULATION
Sept. 15, 1915, to April 30, 1916

	Calls	Items	Miles
Automobile	3317	3866	6272
Motorcycle	252	252	739
Total.....	3569	4118	7011

May 1 to Sept. 15, 1915—Old System

Total	1744	1826	4800
Combined totals	5313	5944	11811

SUMMARY OF WORK OF TRUANT OFFICER

	May	June*	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	Total
Number of special investigations, including absences, tardiness and truancies.....	385	271	162	365	329	35	463	347	284	388	3029
Number of persons taken from street to school.....	§	2	§	§	1	.....	8	.....	2	1	6
Number of cases referred to Juvenile Court.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2	4	4	8	22
Number of cases referred to Prosecuting Attorney.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	5	3	18
Number of warrants issued by Prosecuting Attorney.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	1	.....	1	4
Number of cases of misdemeanor investigated.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2	4	2	10
Total.....	385	273	162	365	338	37	473	354	299	403	3089
Number of visits made to schools.....	87	77	50	78	89	28	61	75	93	95	733

* June and July, vacation period.

§ No record.

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 1, 1916.

Mr. Albert A. Carroll, Superintendent of Police:

Dear Sir:—I herewith submit my report for the fiscal year ending April 30, 1916:

PLACES VISITED.

Grocery and Confectionery Stores.....	496
Meat Markets	214
Places not classified.....	381
Coal and Wood Yards.....	332
Wholesale Houses	82
Total	1,505

Scales Tested.	Approved.	Condemned.	Total.
Computing	707	76	783
Counter Platform	114	11	125
Counter	276	5	281
Portable Platform	306	19	325
Wagon	407	27	434
Spring	218	39	257
Dormant	30	5	35
Counting	5	2	7
Butcher's Beam	19	1	20
Automatic	5	2	7
Hopper	11	2	13
Railroad Track	2	1	3
	2,100	190	2,290

Weights tested and approved.....	1,939
Self Measuring Oil Pumps tested	76
Self Measuring Oil Pumps approved	66
Self Measuring Oil Pumps condemned	10
Dry Measures tested.....	1,441
Dry Measures tested and approved.....	1,437
Dry Measures condemned.....	4
Wine Measures tested.....	2,089
Wine Measures approved	2,071
Wine Measures condemned.....	18
Milk Bottles tested and approved.....	107,712
Counter Yard Measures tested and approved.....	114
Wood Racks tested.....	197
Wood Racks approved.....	189
Wood Racks condemned.....	8
Investigated cases reported short weight.....	23
Cases where shortage was found.....	4
Cases where no shortage was found.....	19
Prosecutions	1

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. BYRNE,

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

POUNDKEEPER'S ANNUAL REPORT.

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 15, 1916.

A. A. Carroll, Superintendent of Police:

Dear Sir:—Herewith I submit my annual report for fiscal year, beginning May 1, 1915, and ending April 30, 1916:

Total number of dogs on hand May 1, 1915.....	7	
Total number of dogs taken in.....	664	
Total number of dogs killed.....	399	
Total number of dogs released, sold and redeemed.....	268	
Total number of dogs on hand April 30, 1916.....	4	
Total amount of fees collected for dogs.....		\$334.25
Total number of sick animals, dogs and cats.....	860	
Total number of fees collected for sick animals removed		13.75
Total number of cows taken into pound.....	3	
Total amount pound fees for cows taken in.....		4.00
Total number of horses taken into pound.....	14	
Total amount of pound fees for horses taken in.....		28.00
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Total amount of collection of pound fees.....		\$380.00
Total amount of license fees paid to City Treasurer		145.50
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Total collections		\$525.50
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Estimated number of persons visited pound during the year		4,000

Respectfully submitted,

LEROY A. SMITH,

Poundkeeper.

BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION

Number of persons measured and photographed.....	138
Number of persons finger printed	138
Number of Bertillon cards written for local files.....	276
Number of descriptions recorded in album.....	138
Number of identifications made, local.....	18
Number of Bertillon-Finger Print cards sent to National Criminal Identification Bureau.....	118
Number of identifications made through Bureau.....	19
Information received from National Bureau of arrests in other cities of persons previously arrested in this city.....	12
Bertillon records furnished to Prosecutor's office.....	5
Bertillon cards furnished to Probation officer.....	2
Records furnished to other cities.....	18
Photographs furnished for identification purposes.....	73
Number of foreign Bertillon cards indexed and filed.....	1,269
Number of foreign Finger Print classifications filed.....	1,156
Total number of Bertillon cards on file.....	17,557
Total number of Finger Print cards on file.....	1,294
Number of stolen property descriptions sent to other cities.....	125
Automobile permits issued.....	2,521
Fees Collected and turned over to Secretary of Board.....	\$635.00

MATRON'S REPORT.

Mr. Albert A. Carroll, Superintendent of Police:

Dear Sir:—I herewith submit my report of the persons cared for in my department for the year ending April 30, 1916:

DISPOSITION OF CASES.

Committed to Jail.....	34
Released	52
Waived examination	1
Sentence suspended	38
Paid fine and costs.....	31
Sent home	10
Referred to Superior Court.....	13
Referred to Juvenile Court.....	6
Taken to Detention Hospital.....	1
Called for by out of town Officers.....	6
On probation	1
Referred to County Superintendent of Poor.....	1
Called for by parents.....	52
Held for trial.....	8
Referred to Justice Court.....	8
Dismissed	2
Referred to Probate Court.....	2
Paid the costs.....	3
On Bond	2
Total	271

OCCUPATION.

Domestic	48	Prostitute	4
Housewife	75	Housekeepers	11
Waitress	3	Cook	1
Seamstress	1	Office help	2
School boys	7	Chambermaid	1
School girls	9	Saleslady	6
No occupation	85	Storekeeper	1
School teacher	1	Nurse	1
Factory hand	9		
Roominghouse keeper.....	6	Total	271

NATIVITY

United States	231	Lithuania	1
Canada	4	Poland	8
England	3	Russia	6
Ireland	10	Germany	4
Holland	4		
		Total	271

OTHER ITEMS.

Married	88	White	256
Single	183	Black	15
Total	271	Total	271
Read and write.....	196	Male	45
Could not read and write....	75	Female	226
Total	271	Total	271

Respectfully submitted,
BERNICE M. WHIPPLE,
 Matron.

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 1, 1916.

To the Honorable Board of Police and Fire Commissioners:

Gentlemen:—I herewith respectfully submit to your honorable body the annual report of the Grand Rapids Police Relief and Benefit Association for the fiscal year, ending January 31, 1916:

OFFICERS OF THE ASSOCIATION

PRESIDENT

Nicholas J. VanDine

VICE PRESIDENT

John Murphy

SECRETARY

Joseph E. Morrissey

TREASURER

Simon F. Steckle

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

George Hastings

Cornelius Steenport

Milo E. Greene

Barney Parkhill

Otis V. Dilley

SICK COMMITTEE

John Stegenga

Harlan Inwood

Andrew VanDerWeide

FISCAL EXHIBIT

Cash in Treasury, January 31, 1916.....	\$5,005.18
Receipts	1,091.20
Interest on deposits.....	193.42
Total	\$6,289.80
Disbursements	\$ 698.50
Balance in Treasury, January 31, 1916.....	\$5,591.30

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH E. MORRISSEY,

Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Financial Statement, Year April 1, 1915, to March 31, 1916

DETAILED EXPENDITURES

Salaries	\$164,710.89
Office Supplies	1,109.49
Books	330.43
Blanks	371.08
Postage	79.00
Telephone	392.01
Laundry	80.51
Ice	112.98
City Water	98.89
Fuel	1,010.71
Power	51.24
Lighting	530.85
Tools	52.03
Janitor's Supplies	418.92
Toilet Supplies	233.67
Furniture and Fixtures	525.35
Dormitory Bedding	69.84
Police Equipment	516.45
General Supplies	165.86
Secret Service	
Oils	87.31
Photo Supplies	29.38
Prisoners' Board	400.00
Pensions	1,959.08
Sealer Weights and Measures—Supplies.....	13.45
Pound Supplies	126.80
Stables	265.16
Auto Supplies	901.23
Trips	104.98
Removing Garbage	48.00
Injuries	176.50
Repairs	5,462.33
Permanent Improvements	3,163.66
Miscellaneous	111.81
Total expenditures	\$183,709.89

RECAPITULATION

Balance in Fund April, 1915.....	\$..	56,795.40
Credited to Fund Appropriation 1915-1916.....	186,547.03	
Credited to Fund account New Pensions.....	1,352.88	
Receipts and Deposits		
For Patrolmen at Crossings.....	\$5,607.25	
For Patrolment at Parks.....	334.50	
For City Auto Permits.....	825.00	
For Sales Old Material, etc.....	139.77	
For Meals for Outside Prisoners.....	18.75	
For Testing Scales (outside city)....	5.00	6,930.27
Balance turned in to General Fund		
July 1, 1915.....		11,632.20
Expenditures April 1, 1915, to March		
30, 1916, as detailed.....		183,709.89
Balance in Fund April 1, 1916, not		
deducting Pensions allowed by		
Board March 31, 1916).....		56,283.49
	\$251,625.58	\$251,625.58

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE FIRE MARSHAL

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 1, 1916.

To the Honorable Board of Police and Fire Commissioners:

Gentlemen:—I have the honor as Fire Marshal to submit my annual report of the condition and operation of the fire department of this city under your control, for the year ending April 30, 1916:

Total manual force of the department at the close of the year consists of 204 men, distributed as follows:

PERSONNEL

Fire Marshal	1
Assistant Fire Marshal.....	1
Battalion Chiefs (also act as Captains Chemicals).....	2
Captains	17
Lieutenants	19
Engineers	12
Assistant Engineers	13
Pipemen	66
Laddermen	40
Drivers	18
Clerk-Shop	1 190

FIRE ALARM DEPARTMENT

Superintendent of Signals.....	1
Foreman of Construction.....	1
Linemen	3
Relief Man	1
Signal Operators	3
Batteryman	1
	<hr/> 10

ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DEPARTMENT

Municipal Inspector	1
Assistant Inspectors	2
Clerk	1
	<hr/> 4
Total	<hr/> 204

Respectfully submitted,
 GEORGE T. BOUGHNER,
 Fire Marshal.

RETIRED PENSION ROLL

Henry Lemoin, former fire marshal.
 H. C. Bettinghouse, former assistant fire marshal and master mechanic.
 David B. Walker, former assistant fire marshal.
 Truman M. Smith, former captain.
 J. A. Brown, former captain.
 Alex Miller, former captain.
 John Goodrich, former captain.
 William H. Harris, former engineer.
 James B. Taylor, former driver.
 Irene D. Donahue, widow of Former Lieutenant Thomas Donahue.

ALARMS RESPONDED TO BY MONTH FOR YEAR
ENDING APRIL 30, 1916

		Box	Still	Total
May	1915.....	18	23	41
June	1915.....	17	22	39
July	1915.....	16	14	30
August	1915.....	13	17	30
September	1915.....	11	29	40
October	1915.....	24	30	54
November	1915.....	25	33	58
December	1915.....	29	28	57
January	1916.....	17	32	49
February	1916.....	23	41	64
March	1916.....	33	42	75
April	1916.....	15	46	61
		<hr/> 241	<hr/> 357	<hr/> 598

CAUSES OF FIRES AND ALARMS

Adjoining fires, from.....	2	Lightning	5
Ashes, (hot)	5	Matches, children playing	
Bonfire, from	4	with	18
Chimney, burning out.....	51	Matches, careless use of.....	9
Chimney, defective	22	Matches and mice.....	2
Chimney, sparks from.....	39	Oil stove, from.....	5
Chimney, back draught.....	2	Plumber's torch	2
Clothing too near stove.....	5	Rekindling of former fire....	1
Cigar and cigarette stubs....	10	Stove, overheated	4
Candle, from	4	Stove, too near woodwork....	5
Dust on pipes, ignited.....	3	Stove pipe defective.....	8
Electric wires, short circuit	12	Smoke in building (no fire)	20
Electric motor	4	Stem in building (no fire)....	3
Engine, back fire from.....	7	Sparks from locomotive.....	6
Electric flat iron.....	3	Sprinkler system leaking....	3
Furnace overheated	5	Spontaneous combustion	20
Furnace too near woodwork	5	Tramps, set by.....	1
Furnace, sparks from.....	4	Thawing water pipes.....	3
Fireworks	2	Tar kettle	2
Fireplace defective	3	Miscellaneous	46
Gas leaking, ignited.....	8	Outside of city.....	4
Gas jet, ignited from.....	6	Rubbish, grass, etc., burning	49
Gas stove, too near wood-		No cause for alarm.....	11
work	3	False alarms	28
Gasoline, explosion of.....	11	Duplicate alarms	5
Gasoline stove, from.....	2	Not ascertained	111
Incendiary	1		
Lamp, dropping of.....	2		
Lantern, from	2	Total alarms	<hr/> 598

CLASS OF BUILDINGS WHERE FIRES AND ALARMS OCCURRED

Frame and wooden.....	345	
Brick	91	
Brick veneer	7	
Brick and frame.....	4	
Cement	7	
Cement and frame.....	2	
Iron clad	2	
Stone	1	
	<hr/>	459
Autos	23	
Poles and wires.....	8	
Railroad cars	5	
Railroad ties	1	
Tar kettle	2	
Awnings	1	
Fence	1	
Tent	1	
	<hr/>	42
Miscellaneous (rubbish, grass, etc).....		49
False alarms	28	
No cause for alarm.....	11	
Duplicate alarms	5	
Outside city	4	
	<hr/>	48
Total alarms		<hr/> 598

VALUE OF PROPERTY, DAMAGE TO SAME AND INSURANCE FOR EACH MONTH DURING YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1916

Month	Year	Loss on Building	Loss on Contents	Total Loss	Amount of Insurance	Value Before Fire
May	1915	\$ 1,766 00	\$ 700 50	\$ 2,466 50	\$181,300 00	\$ 239,915 00
June	1915	2,575 00	3,457 00	6,032 00	19,100 00	32,960 00
July	1915	1,834 11	3,711 12	5,545 23	171,550 00	246,225 00
August	1915	825 46	3,278 10	4,103 56	191,667 00	203,580 00
September	1915	4,814 32	1,489 68	6,304 00	241,050 00	328,555 00
October	1915	3,894 00	4,051 00	7,945 00	1,193,200 00	1,521,285 00
November	1915	2,605 82	2,784 73	5,390 55	*561,400 00	437,550 00
December	1915	9,357 64	3,600 51	12,958 15	1,113,064 46	1,306,154 95
January	1916	5,794 89	3,875 28	9,670 17	130,800 00	212,060 00
February	1916	7,114 78	8,118 11	15,232 89	173,747 68	289,916 96
March	1916	14,254 03	14,419 22	28,673 25	85,300 00	164,950 00
April	1916	10,162 10	36,856 65	47,018 75	*549,840 00	231,195 00
Totals.....	.....	\$64,998 15	\$86,341 90	\$151,340 05	\$4,612,019 14	\$5,214,346 91

*Includes Blanket Policies.

BOARD OF POLICE AND FIRE COMMISSIONERS

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF ALARMS, LOSSES, INSURANCE AND VALUE
OF PROPERTY FOR 18 YEARS ENDING APRIL 30, 1916

Year	No. of Alarms	Loss	Insurance	Value
1899.....	433	\$123,162 60	\$1,210,544 00	\$2,348,870 00
1900.....	387	116,480 70	1,461,690 00	2,387,757 13
1901.....	449	129,538 13	1,585,790 00	2,712,818 91
1902.....	466	202,596 50	2,196,955 00	4,496,422 00
1903.....	376	127,949 73	2,328,039 15	4,323,759 15
1904.....	430	124,104 39	2,487,340 00	4,152,776 00
1905.....	390	276,637 95	2,675,830 00	4,459,241 00
1906.....	374	156,227 83	2,168,825 00	3,667,390 00
1907.....	440	141,574 62	3,439,185 00	6,250,699 00
1908.....	381	145,877 59	3,742,231 00	5,995,368 20
1909.....	483	195,801 58	3,083,060 00	4,035,898 00
1910.....	446	409,099 11	2,430,004 30	4,253,618 00
1911.....	585	129,351 32	3,009,174 00	4,988,487 59
1912.....	552	259,266 33	2,787,304 76	4,252,163 47
1913.....	525	133,537 38	2,199,025 00	3,714,333 50
1914.....	630	225,383 23	4,046,392 50	5,885,896 00
1915.....	605	471,341 59	2,791,065 20	4,277,316 50
1916.....	598	151,340 05	4,612,019 14	5,214,346 91

HOSE RECORD, MAY 1, 1916

When Purchased	No. Feet Purchased	Size	Manufacturer's Brand	Dept. Brand	On Hand
1893	1500	2 1/2"	Paragon	B	50
1895	2000	2 1/2	Paragon	B	50
1896	1800	3	Eureka	A	1450
1898	2000	2 1/2	Paragon	B	750
1899	1000	2 1/2	Paragon	B	550
1902	1000	2 1/2	Paragon	B	1000
1902	1000	2 1/2	Baker	D	400
1903	1500	2 1/2	Baker	D	450
1903	1500	2 1/2	Paragon	B	1250
1904	3000	2 1/2	Baker	D	50
1906	3000	2 1/2	Premier Jacket.....	M	900
1907	50	2 1/2	Jacket	E	50
1908	800	2 1/2	Baker	D	400
1908	5500	2 1/2	Ridgewood Jacket.....	U	1350
1909	2000	2 1/2	Baker	D	1850
1909	500	2 1/2	Paragon	B	450
1909	500	2 1/2	Boston Jacket.....	E	500
1910	1000	2 1/2	Baker	D	950
1910	1000	2 1/2	Bi-Lateral	T	1000
1911	1000	2 1/2	Bi-Lateral	T	1000
1911	2000	2 1/2	Paragon	B	2000
1911	2600	2 1/2	Underwriter's Jacket.....	F	2600
1913	3200	2 1/2	Bi-Lateral	T	3200
1913	500	1	Maltese Cross.....	Chemical	500
1913	60	3 1/2	Bi-Lateral	T	60
1914	1250	2 1/2	C C C.....	C	1250
1914	2500	2 1/2	Bi-Lateral	T	2500
1916	2000	2 1/2	C C C.....	C	2000

AMOUNT AT STATIONS

No. 1—3"	1,450 feet
No. 1—1"	250 feet
No. 1—3½"	60 feet
No. 1—2½"	2,800 feet
No. 2—2½"	1,700 feet
No. 3—1"	250 feet
No. 3—2½"	2,550 feet
No. 4—2½"	2,900 feet
No. 5—2½"	2,400 feet
No. 6—2½"	2,100 feet
No. 7—2½"	1,950 feet
No. 8—2½"	1,800 feet
No. 9—2½"	2,250 feet
No. 10—2½"	1,650 feet
No. 11—2½"	2,250 feet
No. 12—2½"	2,200 feet

28,560 feet

Aggregate	{	26,550 feet	2½-inch hose
		1,450 feet	3 -inch hose
		500 feet	3 -inch hose
		60 feet	3½-inch hose
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		28,560 feet	

ACCIDENTS TO MEMBERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

1915

- May 10 Pipeman Joseph Zetti of No. 1 Chemical Company, sprained ankle while wrestling at station. Off duty 4¾ days.
- June 24 Pipeman William Hartwick wrenched back lifting cement cover off gasoline tank at repair shop. Off duty 19 days.
- Aug. 6 Supply driver Michael Murphy broke two ribs when machine was hit by street car at the corner of Scribner and Second street. Off duty 25¼ days.
- Aug. 6 William Brewton, lieutenant of Engine Company No. 7, received broken leg and other injuries while riding on supply wagon which was hit by street car. Still off duty, May 1, 1916.
- Sept. 9 Ladderman Benjamin Borgman sprained ankle playing ball. Off duty 18 days.
- Oct. 31 Pipeman Peter Heyboer of Engine Company No. 12, sprained ankle and dislocated rib, being thrown from hose wagon while exercising horses. Off duty 10½ days.
- Nov. 15 Pipeman Ray Lemoine of No. 11 Engine Company, injured legs and sprained ankle, being thrown from hose wagon while responding to an alarm of fire from Box 434. Off duty 22 days.

1916

- Jan. 15 Pipeman Frank Kull of No. 3 Chemical Company, overcome wearing smoke helmet at a fire 441 Dudley Place, while searching upper floors for Freeman Lonergan, 4 years old, suffocated from smoke. Mr. Kull taken to hospital and when revived returned to duty.

- Jan. 29 Ladderman Fred Shangraw of No. 5 Truck Company, cut knee with axe while working at a fire, 406 Spencer avenue. Remained on duty.
- Feb. 24 Cornelius Honton, pipeman of No. 6 Engine Company, had index finger on right hand badly bruised at the Reliable Transfer Company's barn fire, 247 Grant street. Remained on duty.
- Feb. 25 George Snyder, assistant engineer of No. 3 Engine Company, wrenched knee while wrestling at station. Off duty 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ days.
- Mar. 13 Pipeman Peter VerBrugge of No. 3 Engine Company, burned hand and face while working at a fire, 470 Third street, March 13. Off duty 6 days.
- Mar. 25 Ladderman Harry Bont of No. 1 Truck Company had face burned while working at a fire, 519 Monroe avenue. Remained on duty.
- April 10 Ladderman Frank Malone of No. 1 Truck Company, bruised hand with door opener while working at a fire, 121 Monroe avenue. Remained on duty.
- April 19 Pipeman Harry Blaine of No. 3 Engine Company, head cut by hydrant wrench while practicing, corner Ottawa and Crescent street. Remained on duty.
- April 27 Ladderman Charles Christensen of No. 1 Truck Company, face cut by falling glass while working at a fire, 37 Cherry street. Remained on duty.
- April 27 Ladderman Paul Meinke of No. 1 Truck Company, hand cut by falling glass while working at a fire, 37 Cherry street. Remained on duty.
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ACCIDENTS TO CITIZENS.

1915

- Aug. 19 Mrs. Joseph Baron, hands and arms badly burned at a fire, 534 Stocking avenue.
- Jan. 15 Mrs. Claude Lonergan slightly burned; hands and arm cut by breaking window trying to rescue her two children at a fire in her home, 441 Dudley Place.
- Jan. 15 Freeman Lonergan, aged 4, suffocated by smoke on second floor of dwelling, 441 Dudley Place. Died on way to hospital; rescued by Harry Mann, Fire Marshal's Driver, and Pipeman Richard Duerloo of No. 2 Engine Company.
- April 22 Genevieve Clouter, age 3, slightly affected by smoke at dwelling, 1019 Sigsbee street; rescued from second floor by Lieutenant Barendse of No. 11 Engine Company.

FIRE DEPARTMENT—COMPENSATION 1915-1916

In Effect After January 1, 1916

Rank	Per Day	Per Year
Fire Marshal	\$5 48	\$2,000 00
Assistant Fire Marshal.....	4 52	1,650 00
Battalion Chiefs and Captains.....	3 83 5/9	1,400 00
Master Mechanic	4 11	1,500 00
Assistant Master Mechanic.....	3 28 3/4	1,200 00
Captains	3 34	1,219 10
Lieutenants	3 00	1,095 00
Engineers	3 83	1,215 45
Laddermen } First Year.....	2 10	766 50
Pipemen } Second Year.....	2 47	901 55
Drivers } Third Year.....	2 68	978 20
Assistant Engineers } Fourth Year.....	2 73	996 45
Extra allowance for Shop Duty—	2 78	1,014 70
First 6 months.....	10	.....
Second 6 months.....	20	.....
After 1 year.....	40	.....

FIRE ALARM AND ELECTRICAL DEPARTMENT

Rank	Per Day	Per Year
Superintendent (2/3 Fire and 1/3 Police).....	5 20 2/3	\$1,900 00
Foreman of Construction.....	3 35	1,222 75
Linemen	2 75	1,003 75
Signal Operators.....	2 85	1,040 25
Batteryman	3 00	1,095 00

ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DEPARTMENT

Rank	Per Day	Per Year
Municipal Inspector	\$4 38 1/2	\$1,600 00
Assistant Inspectors	3 23 3/4	1,200 00
Clerk	2 74	1,000 00

ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DEPARTMENT

From May 1, 1915, to April 30, 1916.

This work has been efficiently done during the past year under the direct supervision of Mr. George Cotton, Municipal Inspector, with the assistance of Mr. Edward Quirk and Earl D. Leitch, Assistant Inspectors. Special attention having been given to outside wiring and construction.

Number of permits issued..... 3,190
 Bills sent to Treasurer for collection.....\$3,479.25

BOARD OF POLICE AND FIRE COMMISSIONERS

INVENTORY OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

Engine House	Lots	Buildings	Apparatus	Horses	Hose	Tools and Outfit	Furniture and Furnishings	Total	Size of Lots
No. 1.....	\$25,000.00	\$ 41,500.00	\$ 33,500.00	.....	\$ 3,435.00	\$ 721.00	\$1,075.40	\$105,231.40	145x102
No. 2.....	2,400.00	7,800.00	7,250.00	\$1,000.00	1,530.00	552.00	403.11	20,935.11	47x167x35
No. 3.....	3,000.00	14,000.00	18,000.00	.....	2,415.00	620.00	695.00	37,310.00	65x100
Shop.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,000.00	.....	2,000.00	.....
No. 4.....	12,500.00	13,500.00	16,000.00	1,000.00	2,610.00	645.00	664.33	46,919.33	25x100—50x75
No. 5.....	3,400.00	9,300.00	14,000.00	600.00	2,160.00	600.00	641.99	30,701.99	69x183
No. 6.....	3,000.00	7,500.00	9,000.00	600.00	1,890.00	560.00	300.00	22,850.00	32x80x115
No. 7.....	1,500.00	9,500.00	13,000.00	600.00	1,750.00	600.00	800.00	27,750.00	60x142
No. 8.....	1,600.00	9,000.00	13,900.00	400.00	1,620.00	600.00	715.65	27,835.65	66x132
No. 9.....	2,000.00	7,000.00	8,000.00	600.00	1,720.00	350.00	298.00	19,968.00	60x100
No. 10.....	1,500.00	8,000.00	8,500.00	.....	1,485.00	200.00	469.58	20,154.58	70x110
No. 11.....	2,500.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	400.00	2,025.00	406.25	406.25	21,737.50	106x120
No. 12.....	3,000.00	12,000.00	5,600.00	1,000.00	1,980.00	345.00	399.00	24,324.00	88x126
Totals.....	\$61,400.00	\$147,100.00	\$154,750.00	\$6,200.00	\$24,620.00	\$8,199.25	\$6,868.31	\$407,717.82	.....
Extra.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Apparatus.....	.....	.....	4,200.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,200.00	.....
Harness.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30.00	.....
Ladders.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	150.00	.....
Miscellaneous.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500.00	.....
Fuel.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	450.00	.....
Totals.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$413,147.82	.....
Fire Alarm System.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	60,931.66	.....
Totals.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$474,079.48	.....

OFFICERS

Name	Rank	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
George T. Boughner.....	Fire Marshal	Sept., 1888	1866	Canada
Fred Higgins	Ass't Fire Marshal....	Feb., 1895	1872	Michigan
Frank C. Mutchler.....	Battalion Chief.....	Mar., 1892	1869	Michigan
Walter Corbin	Battalion Chief.....	July, 1902	1876	Michigan
George Lynch	Bookkeeper at Shop..	Aug., 1899	1874	Canada

FIRE ALARM DEPARTMENT

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Entered Electrical Service	Born	Nativity
Frank S. Vincent	Sup't Signals.....	.....	Aug., 1910	Aug., 1910	1863	Indiana
Wm. Tobin.....	Foreman	1	Sept., 1910	May, 1914	1879	Michigan
Cleo Westfall.....	Lineman	2	June, 1912	June, 1912	1880	Michigan
Bruce Gallagher....	Lineman	3	June, 1912	June, 1912	1882	Ohio
H. Parks.....	Lineman .....	.....	May, 1916	May, 1916	.....	.....
Thomas Kemp.....	Operator	5	Sept., 1905	June, 1909	1881	Michigan
James Corby.....	Operator	74	Aug., 1900	June, 1909	1873	Michigan
Ernest G. Schill....	Operator .....	.....	June, 1903	Oct., 1915	1885	Michigan
S. Davis.....	Batteryman .....	.....	July, 1914	Oct., 1915	1888	Michigan
H. Storey.....	Relief .....	.....	Aug., 1915	Aug., 1915	1891	Michigan

ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DEPARTMENT

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Entered Electrical Dept.	Born	Nativity
George Cotton.....	Municipal Insprr..	.....	July, 1890	July, 1902	1866	Michigan
Edward Quirk.....	Ass't Inspector.....	1	Jan., 1914	Jan., 1914	1882	Michigan
Earl D. Leitch.....	Ass't Inspector.....	2	Oct., 1914	Oct., 1914	1889	Michigan
J. H. O'Connor....	Clerk	86	Oct., 1887	Oct., 1902	1861	Michigan

FIRE STATION NO. 1

Location, Equipment and Personnel

Location—LaGrave avenue and Island street.

Equipment—Auto hose wagon, auto steamer, auto chemical, auto aerial ladder truck, auto fuel wagon, auto electrical supply truck, Superintendent of Signals automobile, battery man's auto truck, Fire Marshal's auto, officer's reserve auto.

NO. 1 ENGINE COMPANY

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
Isaac Sonke	Captain	120	Nov., 1884	1862	Michigan
Wm. H. Esterhill.....	Lieutenant	121	June, 1894	1865	New York
Herman Lindeman.....	Engineer	162	Feb., 1902	1873	Netherlands
George A. Hertzner.....	Ass't Engineer..	192	July, 1914	1886	Michigan
John Quick	Extra Ass't Eng.	196	Nov., 1914	1886	Illinois
Otis Armstrong	Pipeman	84	Nov., 1905	1874	Michigan
Wilber W. Long	Pipeman	98	April, 1910	1887	Indiana
Arthur G. Bettes.....	Pipeman	41	July, 1906	1881	Michigan
John Hoogesteger	Pipeman	178	Oct., 1912	1891	Netherlands
Fred Treat	Pipeman	195	Sept., 1914	1892	Michigan
James Higgins	Pipeman	200	Aug., 1915	1893	Michigan
Wm. Hemphill	Auto Supply	88	June, 1906	1876	Michigan
Harold L. Mann.....	Auto Fireman....	176	Jan., 1912	1888	Mass.

NO. 1 TRUCK COMPANY

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
Chas. Reilly	Captain	182	April, 1896	1874	Michigan
George Fox	Lieutenant	184	Mar., 1906	1882	Michigan
Fred Witter	Ladderman	55	Dec., 1908	1882	Ohio
Frank Malone	Ladderman	49	Mar., 1910	1888	Michigan
Chas. Christensen	Ladderman	24	July, 1911	1882	Denmark
Joseph Gundy	Ladderman	175	July, 1912	1884	Ohio
Harry Bont	Ladderman	25	June, 1915	1893	Michigan
Henry Cadee	Ladderman	197	July, 1915	1887	Michigan
Wm. Roest	Substitute .....	.....	Nov., 1915	1885	Michigan
Paul Meinke	Substitute .....	.....	Feb., 1916	1894	Michigan

NO. 1 CHEMICAL COMPANY

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
Frank C. Mutchler.....	Battalion Chief..	.....	Mar., 1892	1869	Michigan
William Baker	Leutenant	81	Nov., 1902	1872	Michigan
Burt Soper	Pipeman	37	Mar., 1911	1879	Michigan
Joseph Zetti	Pipeman	6	July, 1912	1889	Mass.
Martin Beurkens	Pipeman	205	May, 1914	1886	Netherlands
Clifford Eggleston	Not confirmed....	.....	Feb., 1916	1894	Michigan

FIRE STATION NO. 2

Location, Equipment and Personnel

Location—Barclay avenue, near Michigan street.

Equipment—One hose wagon and one steam engine.

NO. 2 ENGINE COMPANY

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
Nelson W. Hill.....	Captain	122	Feb., 1900	1875	Michigan
Michael Doyle	Lieutenant	123	Mar., 1906	1882	Michigan
Paul Nelson	Engineer	124	May, 1899	1868	Canada
D. W. Apted.....	Ass't Engineer..	125	June, 1905	1870	Michigan
C. C. Mol.....	Driver Steamer..	9	Nov., 1907	1874	Netherlands
Reason Reed	Driver Hose.....	21	Aug., 1906	1872	Michigan
Oscar Carner	Pipeman	82	Nov., 1903	1870	New York
Richard Duerloo	Pipeman	100	July, 1906	1873	Michigan
Peter Borgman	Pipeman	103	Nov., 1906	1877	Michigan
Charles Park	Pipeman	69	May, 1911	1882	Michigan
Errol Wells	Driver Ass't Marshal's Auto	204	Feb., 1915	1895	Michigan

FIRE STATION NO. 3

Location, Equipment and Personnel

Location—Corner Front avenue and Second street.

Equipment—Auto hose wagon, auto steamer, auto chemical and auto supply wagon.

NO. 3 ENGINE COMPANY

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
John Younglove	Captain	126	July, 1893	1867	Illinois
John Whalen	Lieutenant	127	Nov., 1897	1866	Michigan
F. G. Hill.....	Engineer	128	Dec., 1894	1870	Michigan
A. Herriman	Ass't Engineer..	141	Aug., 1910	1881	Michigan
R. Randel	Ass't Engineer..	75	Feb., 1913	1887	Illinois
R. Verlee	Driver	66	Feb., 1906	1882	Michigan
M. Murphy	Driver	27	Feb., 1887	1858	Michigan
E. Wright	Pipeman	44	Dec., 1902	1872	Michigan
P. Verbrugge	Pipeman	38	Mar., 1911	1878	Netherlands
A. Long	Pipeman	40	Apr., 1911	1889	Indiana
C. Witbeck	Pipeman	187	Aug., 1915	1890	Michigan
H. Blain	Pipeman	23	Feb., 1916	1895	Michigan

NO. 3 CHEMICAL COMPANY

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
Walter F. Corbin.....	Battalion Chief..	.....	July, 1902	1876	Michigan
William Hartwick.....	Lieutenant	3	Sept., 1908	1881	Michigan
Frank Kull	Pipeman	36	May, 1908	1881	Germany
Chas. Kozminski	Pipeman	109	July, 1911	1889	Michigan
Peter Gouloos	Pipeman	194	Jan., 1916	1886	Michigan
James Riordan	Pipeman .....	.....	Apr., 1916	1888	Michigan

FIRE STATION NO. 4

Location, Equipment and Personnel

Location—Bond avenue and Crescent street.

Equipment—Hose wagon, steam engine, auto aerial ladder truck, electrical inspector's auto, Assistant Fire Marshal's auto.

NO. 4 ENGINE COMPANY

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
Samuel Pomeroy.....	Captain	130	Dec., 1891	1868	Illinois
Peary McCarty.....	Lieutenant	129	May, 1902	1878	Michigan
Elmer Johnson.....	Engineer	132	July, 1891	1871	Michigan
Edward Kunst.....	Ass't Engineer..	133	Jan., 1912	1886	Michigan
James Carey.....	Driver	29	May, 1906	1882	Michigan
Oliver Larkin.....	Driver	95	July, 1913	1879	Michigan
George Crump.....	Pipeman	39	Oct., 1903	1873	Michigan
Lee Hutchinson.....	Pipeman	108	July, 1912	1888	Michigan
Frank Chrystler.....	Pipeman	79	July, 1914	1883	Michigan
Emanuel Baker.....	Pipeman	107	Mar., 1915	1892	Michigan

N. 4 TRUCK COMPANY

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
Hessel Yntema	Captain	115	Mar., 1897	1866	Michigan
Homer Hubbel	Lieutenant	116	Apr., 1907	1882	Michigan
John Craig	Ladderman	18	Mar., 1911	1884	Michigan
James Purvis	Ladderman	168	June, 1912	1889	Michigan
David Yntema	Ladderman	170	July, 1912	1877	Michigan
Fred Stone	Ladderman	110	Mar., 1913	1885	Michigan
Ed. Palmer	Ladderman	78	Apr., 1913	1885	Michigan
Malcolm McDonald....	Ladderman	179	July, 1913	1885	Michigan
Frank Tobey	Ladderman	43	Aug., 1913	1889	Michigan
Theron Johnson.....	Ladderman	42	July, 1915	1893	Michigan

FIRE STATION NO. 5

Location, Equipment and Personnel

Location—Corner Leonard street, N. W., and Monroe avenue.

Equipment—Auto hose wagon, auto ladder truck, steam engine.

NO. 5 ENGINE COMPANY

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
Joseph Brown.....	Captain	134	Oct., 1890	1869	Michigan
John Quigg.....	Lieutenant	135	Apr., 1897	1875	Michigan
Seal Smith.....	Engineer	136	Apr., 1903	1873	Michigan
George Snider.....	Ass't Engineer..	165	July, 1914	1886	Michigan
Jacob Koll.....	Pipeman	102	July, 1906	1884	Michigan
George White.....	Pipeman	54	July, 1913	1891	Michigan
Melbourn Walcott.....	Pipeman	50	July, 1914	1891	Michigan
Peter Penning.....	Pipeman	180	July, 1914	1880	Netherlands
Frank Shafer.....	Driver	53	Apr., 1914	1882	Michigan
Charles Shook.....	Driver	51	Dec., 1891	1857	Michigan

NO. 5 TRUCK COMPANY

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
Ray W. Wortz.....	Captain	181	July, 1898	1877	Michigan
Walter L. Smith.....	Lieutenant	183	June, 1905	1881	Michigan
William Reed.....	Ladderman	32	Apr., 1905	1873	Michigan
Emery Cole.....	Ladderman	171	Jan., 1912	1869	Kansas
John Anderson.....	Ladderman	177	Dec., 1912	1883	Norway
E. W. Miller.....	Ladderman	40	July, 1914	1882	Indiana
D. G. Conaway.....	Ladderman	190	July, 1914	1891	Michigan
Roy Walcott.....	Ladderman	47	Nov., 1914	1886	Michigan
D. C. Porter.....	Ladderman	52	July, 1915	1891	Michigan
Fred Shangraw.....	Ladderman	189	Nov., 1915	1887	Canada

FIRE STATION No. 6

Location, Equipment and Personnel.

Location—Grandville and Ellsworth avenue.

Equipment—Auto hose wagon and steam engine.

NO. 6 ENGINE COMPANY

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
Charles Condon.....	Captain .....	.....	Nov., 1902	1870	Michigan
A. D. Fox.....	Lieutenant .....	.....	July, 1902	1876	Michigan
Edward Jennings.....	Engineer	140	Mar., 1897	1871	Michigan
Louis Kunst.....	Ass't Engineer..	129	June, 1910	1877	Michigan
Hubert Nagelkirk.....	Driver	8	Oct., 1902	1871	Michigan
Jay N. Baker.....	Pipeman	57	Jan., 1910	1887	Michigan
John Ten Cate.....	Pipeman	58	July, 1914	1886	Michigan
Herman Hemmers.....	Pipeman	59	Oct., 1914	1885	Michigan
Cornelius Honton.....	Pipeman	99	Oct., 1912	1886	Netherlands
Wm. Parish.....	Pipeman	68	July, 1910	1881	Michigan

FIRE STATION No. 7

Location, Equipment and Personnel.

Location—Madison avenue and Franklin street.

Equipment—Auto hose wagon, steam engine, auto ladder truck

NO. 7 ENGINE COMPANY

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
Wm. Spencer	Captain	142	May, 1890	1868	New York
Wm. Brewton.....	Lieutenant	143	July, 1908	1875	Tennessee
Andrew Rose.....	Engineer	144	Apr., 1899	1865	New York
G. J. Sonke.....	Ass't Engineer..	145	Mar., 1896	1867	Michigan
W. C. Bremer.....	Driver	63	Dec., 1891	1865	Michigan
Fred J. Hensler.....	Pipeman	62	June, 1903	1864	Michigan
Wm. Corby.....	Pipeman	76	June, 1907	1876	Michigan
Percy Ackels.....	Pipeman	17	Oct., 1912	1887	Michigan
Martin Braber.....	Pipeman	64	Apr., 1913	1890	Michigan
Amos O. Poe.....	Pipeman	97	Aug., 1914	1878	Ohio

NO. 7 TRUCK COMPANY

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
Christopher Denney..	Captain.....	.....	Aug., 1887	1856	Canada
John Fisher.....	Lieutenant .....	.....	Apr., 1894	1870	Michigan
Asa Hall.....	Driver	104	June, 1909	1880	Michigan
Raymond Makley.....	Ladderman	16	Jan., 1906	1886	Michigan
Charles Brown.....	Ladderman	26	May, 1911	1884	Michigan
Charles Forward.....	Ladderman	169	Aug., 1911	1885	Michigan
Vern Lamphere.....	Ladderman	87	Jan., 1912	1886	Michigan
Frank Kuzma.....	Ladderman	91	Apr., 1912	1890	Michigan
Tony Hikade.....	Ladderman	20	Dec., 1913	1890	Michigan
Ralph Rosema.....	Ladderman	188	July, 1914	1892	Michigan

FIRE STATION No. 8

Location, Equipment and Personnel.

Location—Corner Lexington avenue and Veto street.

Equipment—Auto hose wagon, auto ladder truck, steam engine

NO. 8 ENGINE COMPANY

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
William Curtis.....	Captain	146	Apr., 1893	1866	Michigan
Leo O'Riley.....	Lieutenant	147	Oct., 1901	1879	Canada
Theodore Slovinski.....	Engineer	148	Mar., 1897	1871	Bohemia
John FitzPatrick.....	Ass't Engineer..	149	Jan., 1895	1871	Michigan
John Renihan.....	Pipeman	67	Jan., 1889	1855	New York
Frank Troy.....	Pipeman	11	Dec., 1901	1879	Michigan
Otto Switzer.....	Pipeman	31	Dec., 1908	1879	Michigan
Neil Gilder.....	Pipeman	48	Feb., 1915	1894	Michigan
Ralph Long.....	Pipeman	81	Oct., 1915	1894	Michigan
Norton Beebe.....	Driver	28	Sept., 1891	1865	Michigan

NO. 8 TRUCK COMPANY

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
Frank Fenn.....	Captain	117	Oct., 1888	1859	Michigan
George Christie.....	Lieutenant	118	Apr., 1900	1872	Michigan
Joseph Kennedy.....	Ladderman	90	July, 1906	1876	Michigan
Charles O'Donnell.....	Ladderman	30	July, 1905	1878	Michigan
Albert Schuiteman.....	Ladderman	61	Apr., 1906	1880	Michigan
George Thompson.....	Ladderman	93	July, 1906	1879	Canada
Bert Mangus.....	Ladderman	94	Oct., 1908	1884	Michigan
Mat Keiser.....	Ladderman	34	May, 1912	1887	Michigan
John Panfil.....	Ladderman	191	July, 1914	1889	Michigan
Frank Maher.....	Ladderman	193	July, 1914	1892	Michigan

FIRE STATION No. 9

Location, Equipment and Personnel.

Location—Corner Leonard street, N. W., and Quarry avenue.

Equipment—Auto hose wagon and steam engine.

NO. 9 ENGINE COMPANY

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
F. Van Steenberg.....	Captain	150	May, 1881	1860	New York
J. Tolsma.....	Lieutenant	151	July, 1893	1866	Netherlands
Wm. Young.....	Engineer	152	Oct., 1885	1856	New Jersey
Roy Shafer.....	Ass't Engineer..	153	July, 1913	1877	Michigan
Wm. Jousma.....	Pipeman	35	Mar., 1902	1870	Netherlands
R. Shepard.....	Pipeman	70	May, 1905	1880	Michigan
Adrian Donker.....	Pipeman	71	July, 1906	1879	Michigan
Herman Brandt.....	Pipeman	10	June, 1911	1890	Michigan
Clay Stapleton.....	Driver	73	Jan., 1907	1880	Michigan
Dewit Stapleton.....	Driver	22	Sept., 1909	1875	Michigan

FIRE STATION No. 10**Location, Equipment and Personnel.****Location**—Corner Hall street and Ionia avenue.**Equipment**—Combination auto pumper.**NO. 10 ENGINE COMPANY**

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
George Cole.....	Captain	154	Apr., 1891	1868	Michigan
Jacob Toren.....	Lieutenant	155	June, 1895	1862	Michigan
James Griffith.....	Engineer	164	Mar., 1901	1869	Iowa
Wm. Swanson.....	Pipeman	105	Sept., 1909	1883	Michigan
John Sullivan.....	Pipeman	14	Apr., 1911	1888	Michigan
Richard Bolstra.....	Pipeman	89	June, 1907	1878	Holland
Emery Lemieux.....	Pipeman	65	Nov., 1913	1883	Michigan
Frank Graves.....	Pipeman	187	July, 1914	1886	Michigan

FIRE STATION No. 11**Location, Equipment and Personnel.****Location**—Corner Chester street and Diamond avenue.**Equipment**—Auto hose wagon, steam engine.**NO. 11 ENGINE COMPANY**

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
Luke Kerwin.....	Captain	158	Oct., 1880	1859	New York
John Barendse.....	Lieutenant	159	Nov., 1902	1869	Michigan
Jacob Weaver.....	Engineer	160	June, 1894	1866	Michigan
Chas. Seydel.....	Ass't Engineer..	161	Nov., 1899	1867	Wisconsin
Geo. Noel.....	Pipeman	45	Sept., 1902	1870	Michigan
John Rittenburg.....	Pipeman	72	Apr., 1904	1870	Michigan
John Schoenhofen.....	Pipeman	85	July, 1914	1892	Michigan
Wm. Louwerens.....	Pipeman	12	Oct., 1914	1891	Netherlands
Ray Lemoine.....	Pipeman	106	Apr., 1915	1884	Michigan
Chas. Bridenstine.....	Driver	83	Nov., 1902	1872	Indiana

FIRE STATION No. 12**Location, Equipment and Personnel****Location**—Corner Grandville avenue and Hall street.**Equipment**—Hose wagon and steam engine.**NO. 12 ENGINE COMPANY**

Name	Rank	Badge	Entered Service	Born	Nativity
Peter Nagelkirk.....	Captain	166	Oct., 1895	1864	Michigan
Wesley L. White.....	Lieutenant	167	Oct., 1895	1872	Michigan
Charles Simmons.....	Engineer	156	July, 1890	1864	Netherlands
Charles Stevens.....	Ass't Engineer..	157	Oct., 1900	1871	Michigan
Thomas McDonnell....	Pipeman	7	Oct., 1888	1858	Ireland
John F. Haggerty.....	Pipeman	15	Mar., 1900	1870	Michigan
Benjamin Emaus.....	Driver	172	Jan., 1912	1868	Michigan
Fred Patterson.....	Driver	19	June, 1907	1870	Michigan
Peter Heyboer.....	Pipeman	173	Aug., 1914	1889	Michigan

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Financial Statement, Year April 1, 1915, to March 31, 1916

DETAILED EXPENDITURES

Salaries	\$201,354.47
Office Supplies	145.38
Books	92.12
Blanks	284.46
Postage	56.00
Telephone	172.41
Laundry	503.92
Fuel	3,580.21
City Water	289.80
Lighting	853.69
Power—Signal System	332.85
Hay	1,273.49
Grain	1,484.23
Bedding	491.25
Shoeing	1,034.90
Horses	265.00
Pensions	4,419.07
Fire Equipment	170.08
Tools	278.85
Furniture and Fixtures.....	235.17
Dormitory Bedding	436.24
Janitor's Supplies	407.26
Toilet Supplies	466.68
Stable	270.02
Veterinary	170.50
Auto Supplies	1,542.38
Hose	1,997.56
General Supplies	222.00
Oils	278.50
Chemicals	90.52
Trips	121.67
Injuries	187.85
Permanent Improvements	20,056.74
Miscellaneous	86.92
Repairs	15,049.86
Total Expenditures	<u>\$258,702.05</u>

RECAPITULATION

Balance in fund April 1, 1915.....	\$ 45,742.04
Balance appropriation year 1914-1915.....	15,489.94
Credit to fund account appropriation 1915-1916....	*261,537.56
Credit to fund account new pensions.....	3,041.70

RECEIPTS AND DEPOSITS

Sales, old hose, material, etc.....	\$ 601.95	
Sale horses	525.00	
Sale old switchboard.....	125.00	
Electrical inspection fees.....	3,410.75	4,662.70
Balance turned into general fund July 1, 1915....		\$ 3,072.17
Expenditures April 1, 1915, to March 31, 1916, as detailed		258,702.05
Balance in fund April 1, 1916 (not deducting pen- sions allowed by Board March 31, 1916).....		68,699.72
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		\$330,473.94 \$330,473.94

*\$4,530.20 of appropriation 1915-1916 not yet credited to fund by City Treasurer.

FIREMEN'S FUND ASSOCIATION

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 1, 1916.

To the Honorable Board of Police and Fire Commissioners:

Gentlemen:—I herewith submit the Annual Report of the Grand Rapids Firemen's Fund Association, from May 1, 1915, to May 1, 1916:

Number of members 197.

OFFICERS

RAY WORTZ, President

E. O. WRIGHT, Vice President

FRED HIGGINS, Secretary

FRANK TROY, Treasurer

TRUSTEES

GEORGE BOUGHNER

EDWARD JENNINGS

SAMUEL POMEROY

JOHN HAGGERTY

CHARLES REILLY,

FRANK TROY

JOHN QUIGG,

FRED HIGGINS

Respectfully submitted,

FRED HIGGINS,

Secretary.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FIREMEN'S FUND ASSOCIATION

For Year Ending April 30, 1916

Invested in mortgages May 1, 1915.....	\$20,325.00	
Cash on hand.....	356.45	
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		\$20,681.45
Interest received during the year.....	\$ 1,131.94	
Dues received during the year.....	787.00	
Initiations during year.....	64.00	

DONATIONS FOR YEAR

Village of East Grand Rapids.....	25.00	
Village of Ada.....	75.00	
Charles R. Sligh.....	200.00	
Mr. Maynard	15.00	
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Total income for year.....		2,297.94

DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE YEAR

Benefits	\$ 838.39	
Miscellaneous	208.63	
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Total		1,047.02
Net resources May 1, 1916.....		21,932.37
Invested in mortgages May 1, 1916.....	\$21,325.00	
Cash on hand May 1, 1916.....	607.37	
Receipts for the year.....	2,297.94	
Disbursements for the year.....	1,047.02	
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Receipts in excess of disbursements.....		\$ 1,250.92

Respectfully submitted,
 FRED HIGGINS,
 Secretary.

TABLE GIVING A COMPLETE RECORD OF EACH FIRE DURING THE YEAR, MAY 1, 1915, TO APRIL 30, 1916
REPORTS BEING CORRECTED TO ADJUST LOSSES AS NEAR AS OBTAINABLE

1915 Date	Time	No. Box	Location	Occupant	Owner	Occupied as	Class of Building	Cause of Fire or Alarm	Loss	Insurance	Value
May 1	9:21am	353	Unknown	Mrs. H. Kohlman	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out.			
1	1:40pm	Still	437 Terrace ave.	Elizabeth DeLano	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Smoke in basement.			
1	2:26pm	Still	958 Wealthy st. s. e.	F. B. Post.	A. Vonk	Drug store.	Cement	Paper and rubbish dropped thru register—no fire.			
1	10:40pm	Still	Division & Library st. n. w.	John McNabb	Same	Automobile	Automobile	Unknown			
2	1:35am	456	Fountain & Diamond					Unknown—no one at box when department arrived.			
3	8:56pm	454	Fountain & Eastern ave. n. e.	Baxter Laundry Co.	Same	Garage	Brick	Lighted match thrown in tub of gasoline.	\$ 17.00	\$ 23400.00	\$ 26000.00
5	11:01pm	725						False alarm.			
7	6:17pm	262	782 Baxter st. s. e.	Mrs. M. Wegter	John Weringa	Dwelling	Frame	Oil stove exploded in kitchen	40.00	200.00	1450.00
7	6:30pm	346	1021 Sheldon ave.	A. Root	Same	Store house.	Frame	Not ascertained.	70.00		90.00
8	10:33am	Still	1307 Lake Drive, s. e.	Theo. Clark	Same	Touring car	Automobile	Short circuited the car while cleaning wires.	40.00	1000.00	1250.00
8	12:45am	543						False alarm—broken glass.			
9	6:13pm	231	359 Division av. s. w.	G. W. Williams & others	G. R. Brewing Co.	Store & living rooms	Brick	Chimney burning out.			
11	5:12pm	Still	— Grove st.	D. & M. R. R.	Same	Grass.	Grass.	Supposed spark from engine			
12	7:26am	Still	Fountain st. & Storm- zand Place	City	City of Grand Rapids	Dump'g ground.	Street.	Boys and matches.			
12	9:59am	Still	Outside city limits.					Outside city limits.			
12	11:41am	Still	441 Shawmut av.	A. Ansoerge.	Same	Rubbish.	Rubbish	Unknown			
13	9:53am	Still	506-508 Franklin st.	Miss Duffy & others.	S. C. Parish	Dwelling.	Frame	Caught from stove.	10.00	3300.00	5000.00
15	1:30am	Still	John Ball Park Woods.	City	City	Woods.	Woods	Unknown			
15	2:16pm	Still	Rear 208 Buckley st.	P. M. Ry. ties.	P. M. R. R. Co.	Bumper for cars.	R. R. ties	Sparks from engine.			
15	2:40pm	Still	Myrtle & Crosby st. n. w.				Rubbish	Rubbish burning.			
15	2:45pm	Still	Hall st. west of God- frey av.		Coit Estate	Grass.	Grass.	Grass burning.			
16	9:28am	Still	1065 Lake Drive.	S. Alkoojian	Same	Dwell'g, garage.	Frame	Gasoline caught fire—vulcan- izing machine.	55.00	4000.00	4000.00
18	6:53am	Still	1336 Sigsbee st. s. e.					Detailed to 1336—no such number on street.			
18	9:23am	63	745 Leonard st. n. w.	E. Stadt	Same	Store.	Frame	Sparks from furnace.	5.00	6000.00	8000.00
19	10:28am	Still	1248 Phillips st.	Robt. Whinery	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out.			
19	11:25am	Still	1321 Ionia av. s.	Earl Barager	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Unknown	621.00	2000.00	3300.00
19	1:43pm	7121	60 Scribner av. s. w.	G. R. Brass Co.	Same	Factory	Frame	Cigarette stub	60.00		10000.00

TABLE GIVING A COMPLETE RECORD OF EACH FIRE DURING THE YEAR, MAY 1, 1915, TO APRIL 30, 1916—Continued

1915 Date	Time	No. Box	Location	Occupant	Owner	Occupied as	Class of Building	Cause of Fire or Alarm	Loss	Insurance	Value
May 19	6:37pm	15	31 Colfax st.	A. DeWindt	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Spark from chimney	5.00	1000.00	3100.00
20	7:28am	Still	P. M. Ry. at Market av. s. w.	Unoccupied	P. M. R. R. Co.	Box car	Box car	Lighted cigarette stub burned floor of box car	1.00	1400.00	1400.00
20	1:57pm	351	730 Grandville av.	Mrs. E. Driehorg	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
21	11:44am	213	Maple & Lagrave av.	G. R. Musk-Power Co	Same	Wires	Wires	Unknown			
22	2:56pm	Still	1155 Cass av. s. w.	John S. McDonald	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Spark ignited shingles	100.00	3700.00	6500.00
23	12:42pm	184	Ashland & Curtis st.	Harry Denton & oth- ers	Same	Church	Frame	Overtuned oil stove	50.00	900.00	1800.00
23	1:30pm	Still	1120 Madison av.	R. L. Solomon	Same	Garage	Frame	Caught from vulcanizer			
24	7:54pm	Still	Rear 1028 Fairmount st. s. e.	H. T. Baldwin	Same	Garage	Frame	Gasoline caught on fire in a tire vulcanizer	2.50	100.00	1025.00
29	7:00pm	Still	18-20 Pleasant st.	W. J. Baker & others	H. Trace	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
30	8:09am	273	837 Logan st. s. e.	Frank Hammond	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Defective chimney			
30	1:40pm	Still	31-35 Market av. n. w.	Central Mich. Paper Co.	Henry Vinkemulder	Commission & paper house	Brick	False alarm caused by leak in sprinkler system	132.00	600.00	1800.00
30	6:31pm	41	404 Coit av. n. e.	A. M. Whitney & others	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Spontaneous combustion in oily rags	3.00	125000.00	152000.00
31	8:38am	261	651 Thomas st.	K. De Bloey	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Spark from chimney	1200.00	4500.00	7500.00
31	6:46pm	623	910 McReynolds av.	Frank Junghans	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Leak in gas pipe	5.00	2300.00	2200.00
June 1	8:05am	Still	1310 Lake Drive s. e.	Thos. Benjamin	Same	Touring car	Automobile	Wires short circuited	25.00	4300.00	2200.00
1	12:00m	247	250 Morrison st. s. e.	H. J. McKinley & others	Albert La Blanc	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained	525.00		4600.00
1	1:47pm	Still	Ballard & Vineland av.	Haney School Furn. Co.	Same	Grass	Grass	Spontaneous combustion— dust on boiler			
2	6:38pm	613	726 Front av. n. w.	Haney School Furn. Co.	Same	Furn. factory	Cement	Spontaneous combustion— dust on boiler			
3	2:00pm	Still	1069 Lafayette av. s. e.	John Clark	H. Harks	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
4	3:35pm	Still	Williams & Market av. s. w.	Petoskey B. P. O. E.	B. P. O. E.	Sea serpent	Cloth sea serpent	Burned to get rid of it			
6	9:22am	652	Rear 1642 Broadway av.	F. S. Foote	Same	Chicken house	Frame	Not ascertained	25.00		25.00
6	3:04pm	41	Rear 330 Ransom av.	Vacant	Wm. H. Wilson	Barn	Frame	Boys and matches			
8	2:02pm	Still	Fulton near Barclay	J. Gale	Same	Rubbish	Rubbish	Not ascertained			
12	12:20pm	Still	1042 Cass av.	City of G. R.	Same	Ash house	Cement and frame	Burning papers in building	5.00		10.00
13	1:24am	343	Ryerson & Division	City of G. R.	Same	Elect. light pole	Elect. light pole	Short circuit			
13	3:22am	545	1449 Fourth st.	Geo. Phillips	Same	Barn	Frame	Lightning	1400.00	400.00	1400.00
13	11:22pm	Still	188 Monroe av. n. w.	Gillingham & Smith & others	Goodspeed Bros.	Theatre	Brick	Smoke from chimney—no fire			

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1915 June 14	3:45pm	Still	316 Bridge st.	Adolph Montrim	M. Braudy & Sons	Shoe repair shop.	Brick	Short circuit—electric wires outside building			
15	11:16pm	724	943 Dayton st. s. w.	Jos. Levandoski	Same	Meat market	Frame	Fire too near partition in smoke house, igniting same	16.00	1800.00	3800.00
17	12:15am	Still	1501 Seward av. n. w.	J. Zembraski & others	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained	800.00	500.00	1300.00
19	1:22am	134	145 Michigan st.	Hermitage Real Est. Co.	Same	Hotel	Brick	Cigar stub ignited awning			
20	5:47pm	278	Rear 1075 Baxter sts. e.	Cornelius Fisher	Same	Barn	Frame	Supposed to be boy smoking in hay loft.	35.00		210.00
20	8:13pm	21	49-59 Lagrave av. s. e.	G. R. Overland Co.	A. Vander Stolpe	Garage	Brick	Not ascertained			
21	9:44am	Still	914 Davis av. n. w.	J. Parzinkinbi	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained			
21	10:30am	373	114 Fair st.	F. Lake	J. Killzore	Dwelling	Frame	No fire	101.00	800.00	1500.00
21	7:44pm	124	221-223 Monroe av. n. w.	Heyman Co.	M. Braudy & Sons	Furn. store	Brick	Overflow of oil on muffler of gas engine			
21	10:20pm	Still	733 Blymner Court.	Unoccupied	M. Hayes	Dwelling	Frame	Gas setting fire to matches in basement			
22	1:13pm	Still	Oakland av. & P.M.R.R.	P. M. R. R.	P. M. R. R.	Rubbish on R.W.	Rubbish	Spark from locomotive.			
26	6:58pm	432	442 North av.	B. D. Coats	Frank Hulswit	Dwelling	Frame	Spontaneous combustion	70.00	3000.00	4000.00
26	4:08pm	Still	Commerce av. near Monroe		H. H. Swain	Auto.	Automobile	Lighted match thrown into gasoline	200.00		500.00
26	4:17pm	Still	Commerce av. near Monroe				Automobile	Same fire as still at 4:08 p.m.			
27	8:18am	123	340 Ottawa av. n. w.	P. J. McCormick	G. R. Brewing Co.	Paint shop	Frame	No fire—smoke from chimney			
27	3:47pm	Still	Rear 334 Bridge st. n. w.			Rubbish	Rubbish	Rubbish burning			
27	4:08pm	343	Division near Graham st.			Rubbish	Rubbish	Small boy and matches			
28	11:50am	Still	Monroe av. & Palmer st.	L. M. Willard	L. M. Willard	Auto.	Automobile	Unknown	150.00		300.00
28	2:45pm	Still	413 Turner av. n. w.	Mrs. Dollenhouse & others	Mrs. Arnold	Dwelling	Frame	Curtain blowing against gas-oline stove	75.00	300.00	1300.00
28	9:26pm	Still	72 Winter av. n. w.	Smith Bros. Iron & Metal Co.	Smith Bros.	Rag shop	Frame-iron-clad	Spontaneous combustion	2600.00	8000.00	12000.00
28	11:10pm	Still	72 Winter av. n. w.	Smith Bros. Iron & Metal Co.	Smith Bros.	Rag shop	Frame-iron-clad	No fire—steam in building from same fire as above.			
28	12:08pm	Still	Butterworth & Valley av.	Wm. Fitz Patrick	Same	Grass	Grass	Burning grass			
28	12:53pm	4241	945 Clancy st.	Oliver Machine Wks.	W. Mars	Woodshed	Grass	Boy set bonfire	5.00		15.00
29	3:56pm	Still	Myrtle & Davis st. n. w.			Rubbish	Rubbish	Burning rubbish			
29	10:14pm	231	356 Division av. s. e.	H. Toy	David Wolf	Laundry	Brick	Chimney burning out			
30	9:53am	Still	1210 S. Lafayette av.			Dwelling	Frame	No fire			

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July 1	5:50pm	Still	120 Terrace av. s. e.	Mrs. A. J. Parkhurst	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Smoke in building—no fire			
1	9:53pm	Still	Front & Watson st.	G. R. & K. Traction Co.	Same	Tar kettle	Tar kettle	Overheated tar kettle ignited			
2	9:02pm	31	Louis & Fulton, n. w.	J. L. Weeks	J. L. Weeks	Auto	Automobile	Spark from exhaust	75.00		300.00
3	1:29pm	515	P. M. R. R. Yards	P. M. R. R.	P. M. R. R. Co.	Freight car	Empty box car	Spark from engine	5.00	200.00	400.00
4	12:23am	154	1425 Plainfield av.	D. Morgan & others.	J. A. Riesdouth	Awning on drug store	Awning	Fireworks set awning on fire	4.00	8500.00	16000.00
4	2:44pm	Still	216 James av. s. e.	O. A. Pound	Same	Dwelling	Frame	No fire—cherries stewing on gas stove became dry			
4	8:45pm	Still	26 Gold av. s. w.	Albert Meyer	A. Meyer	Dwelling	Frame	Supposed fireworks	25.00	500.00	1500.00
6	1:35pm	Still	151 Palmer st.	John Cweemer	J. Cweemer	Chicken house	Frame	Unknown	10.00		30.00
6	2:30pm	Still	535 Lagrave av. s. e.	A. Duesburg	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Smoke from stove			
7	8:47am	134	407-413 Bond av.	Wm. Reid	Fuller Estate	Garage	Cement	Cleaning auto with gasoline, which ignited from engine	75.00	20000.00	51500.00
11	3:18pm	637	1130 Pine av. n. w.	Louis Helmyer	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Wiping stove with dust cloth, hanging same in closet	30.00	1000.00	1600.00
11	5:25pm	72	603 Fulton st. w.	James Prye	Martin Whalen	Dwelling	Frame	Supposed spontaneous combustion	475.00	600.00	2150.00
11	10:50pm	Still	Ottawa av. & Crescent st.	City of G. R.	Police Hdqts	Police Hdqts	Brick	Unknown	20.00		100000.00
12	6:57am	278	1012 Lagrave av.	Garrett Scripsema	Same	Barn & Garage	Frame	Unknown horse couldn't be removed	200.00	100.00	295.00
14	9:46pm	Still	119-125 Jefferson av. s. e.	A. B. Way & others.	Jas. Rowson	Flat	Brick	Supposed spark igniting awning			
17	9:18pm	415	411 Livingston av.	Frank O'Donnell	Don E. Minor	Carpet weaving	Frame	Not ascertained	150.00	250.00	450.00
20	9:33pm	348	Franklin & Buchanan	Thomas Canning Co.	Same	Canning factory	Frame	Unknown	2073.48	88000.00	23000.00
21	8:37pm	348	Franklin & Buchanan	Thomas Canning Co.	Same	Canning factory	Frame	Unknown—value of stock changes daily	1250.00	25000.00	8000.00
21	9:10pm	6	Ionla & Louis st.	E. A. Stowe	Willard Barnhart	Mich. Tradesman	Brick	Open gas burner under solder pot igniting table			
22	12:06am	2761	959 Wealthy st.	Helmus Bros.	Same	Office & storage	Frame	Combustion in barrel of clothing	100.00	1600.00	2500.00
22	2:24pm	364	309 Hall st.	Fred Miller	Dennis Scannel	Dwelling	Frame	Plumber's fire pot set fire to ironing board	10.00	800.00	1700.00
22	2:26pm	Still	Taylor & Mathews Ct.	Edge & Brethour	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Spark from smoke stack	1.00	16000.00	22000.00
22	2:30pm	Still	Monroe av.	G. R. Showcase Co.	Same	Pump'g mill	Frame	Unknown			
23	10:24pm	543	941 Bridge st. n. w.	Mrs. Norman & others	J. F. Quigley	Living apts.	Rubbish frame	Not ascertained	581.75	7500.00	11500.00

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July 24	2:26pm	Still	Sibley & Lane av.	John Martin	Same	Dump'g ground	Rubbish	Burning rubbish			
24	3:21am	38	222 Elm st.	John Dykehouse	Same	Dwell'g & garage	Rubbish	Not ascertained	460.00	1500.00	3300.00
26	3:15pm	Still	Dewey & 4th st.	G. R. & I. R. R.	Same	Rubbish	Rubbish	Burning rubbish			
27	4:10pm	Still	73-77 Monroe av. n. w.	Barnes Shoe Co. & others	Davis Estate	Stores	Brick	Burning papers filling room with smoke			
28	11:15pm	Still	941 Bridge st. n. w.					False alarm			
30	10:26am	135	441 Ionia av. n. w.	B. E. Wright & others	J. G. Kalmbach	Rooming house	Brick	Spark from furnace igniting rags			
Aug. 2	6:07pm	635	1036 Lincoln av. n. w.	C. Heileger & others	C. Heileger	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained			
4	10:14am	Still	463 Fourth st. n. w.	Louis Henson	Wm. Widdicomb	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained			
5	9:39pm	Still	625 Cambridge Blvd.	A. H. Friend	Same	Dwelling	Brick veneer	Defective fireplace			
6	6:28am	278	863 Sherman st. s. e.	Chas. H. Heinzelman	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
6	5:59pm	Still	1480 Buchanan av.	Steel Furn. Co.	Same	Factory	Brick	Fumes from enameling tank			
6	8:43pm	Still	338 Commerce av. s. w.	H. Dolphin & others	McGregor Bros.	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained	2766.80	70000.00	55000.00
8	5:52pm	21	67 Lagrave av. s. e.	C. Toeren & others	C. Fox & F. F. Knight	Dwelling & barn	Frame	Supposed boys and matches	15.00	1000.00	2300.00
9	2:55pm	Still	42-52 Division av. n.	Auto Equipment Co.	John Murray	Stores & offices	Brick	Unknown	350.00	650.00	2800.00
10	10:21pm	Still	32 Ottawa av. n. w.	Swift Packing Co.	Fuller Estate	Meat stores	Brick	Smoke from smokehouse	20.00	17.00	30.00
11	7:56pm	Still	219 Huron st. n. w.	Butterworth & Lowe	Same	Foundry	Stone	Heat from castings igniting mould flask			
13	9:49am	316	54-58 Oakes st. s. w.	Jas. Burt & Fraam Bros.	L. D. Mehrtens	Drug, fruit store, pool room & restaurant	Brick	Burning papers in furnace			
13	10:36pm	Still	76-78 Ionia av. n. w.	Rason & Dowe & others	Edw. Lowe	Stores & offices	Brick	Bursted water pipes in street flooding basement			
14	7:15am	63	1382½ Alpine av. n. w.	Mrs. De Voogd	A. De Voogd	Dwelling	Frame	Defective chimney	47.31	500.00	900.00
16	8:37pm	54	529 Stocking av. n. w.	Jos. Stocking	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Lighted gas jet too near wall	350.00	1500.00	2100.00
16	6:11pm	276	321 Benjamin av. s. e.	F. W. Hinjan	Unknown	Dwelling	Frame	Struck by lightning	151.00	6000.00	11000.00
17	7:35pm	452	148 Grand av. n. e.	Unknown		Dump'g ground	Dumping ground	Burning waste paper			
19	11:58am	Still	534 Stocking av. n. w.	A. Jankowski & others	Mrs. C. O'Neal	Saloon & living rooms	Frame	Filling gasoline flatiron while lighted	30.00	2700.00	4750.00
21	11:04am	614	311 W Leonard st.	Stanley Stanulis	S. Donkaute, Historical Aid Society	Club & living rooms	Frame	Overheated stove too near partition	79.95	1800.00	1750.00
23	4:55pm	253	500 Hall st.	H. L. Calpain	Same	Barn	Frame	Not ascertained	2.00	250.00	450.00
24	4:15am	Still	Market & Godfrey	Am. Box Bd. Co.	American Box Board Co.	Storage room	Brick	Not ascertained	10.00	850.00	1400.00

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Aug. 25	1:15pm	243	601 Cherry st. s. e.	Thos. Friant	Same	Garage	Frame	Vulcanizing auto tire	49.90	2000.00	8000.00
28	11:22am	Still	Scribner & 6th st.	Frank Biolas	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Unknown who sent in alarm	207.00	1300.00	2250.00
28	9:06pm	Still	1028 Muskegon av.	Excelsior Wrap. Co.	Same	Factory	Brick	Friction in excelsior machine	5.00	100000.00	106000.00
30	3:23pm	326	Godfrey av. & Hall st.	M. Radiski	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Spark from chimney igniting roof	2.00	1200.00	1300.00
30	4:10pm	436	905 Baraga st.		Same	Foundry	Frame	Sparks from chimney of foundry	2.00		550.00
31	2:53pm	Still	Rear 332 Goodrich st. s. w.	F. C. Behnke	Same	Wagon factory	Brick	Cleaning pulley with naptha ignited			
31	8:55am	Still	501-513 Front av. n. w.	Belknap Wagon Co.	Same		Frame	Spark from chimney ignited shingles on roof	15.00	1300.00	2900.00
31	9:33am	Still	218 Wealthy st. s. w.	Mrs. E. Harrison & others	George Cook	Dwelling	Frame	Hot ashes in basket igniting same			
31	3:37pm	Still	254 State st. s. e.	Mrs. M. Jocelyn & others	W. Martinaugh	Dwelling	Frame	Unknown			
31	11:58pm	Still	American Seating Co. Yd.		Citz. Tel. Co.	Telephone pole	Telephone pole				
Sept. 2	8:53am	Still	218 Pearl st.	Weatherly Co.	Campau Realty Co.	Lighting fixtures & repair shop	Brick	Gasoline ignited	8.00	10500.00	9500.00
2	9:23am	Still	17-19 Lafayette av. s. e.	Mrs. L. M. Nelson & others	Same	Dwelling	Brick	Burning papers in fireplace, filling building with smoke			
2	1:18pm	Still	315 Norwood av. s. e.	Geo. Barth	Geo. Barth	Dwelling	Frame	Spark from chimney fell on roof	1.00	1200.00	1800.00
2	10:50pm	Still	1118 S. Division av.	Wm. Galmeyer	Unknown	Board fence	Wood	Not ascertained			
3	10:15am	Still	Outside city limits.		Same	Dwelling	Frame	Unknown			
3	1:05pm	Still	Crofton av. & Hilton st.		John Gilmore	Dwelling	Grass	Not ascertained			
4	7:10pm	Still	1247 Buchanan av.	M. Braudy & Sons	Same	Junk storage	Frame	Presumably from high tension wires	495.00	700.00	1200.00
4	7:37pm	67	Elizabeth av. & North st		Same	Tannery	Frame sheds	Not ascertained	4000.00	51500.00	8000.00
7	2:19am	Still	Front st. s. w.	E. F. Kiefer Tanning Co.	Same		Frame	Not ascertained	10.00		55000.00
7	3:00pm	Still	Ionia & Louis st.	Lowell Mfg. Co. & others	W. Barnhart	Clothing factory	Brick	Can alcohol exploding	25.00	76500.00	120000.00
7	8:28pm	Still	238 Division av. n.	Mrs. Butler	Atty. G. A. Wolf	Rooming house	Frame	Wind blew lace curtain into lighted gas jet	2.00	2400.00	3500.00
8	12:53am	671	Fuller Station, n. w.	G. R. & I. R'y	G. R. & I. R. R. Co.	Box car	I. C. box car	Lightning	290.00		4180.00
8	4:37pm	Still	Monroe av.	Mrs. W. F. Burns	Same	Automobile	Auto	Not ascertained			
9	9:21pm	286						False alarm			
10	1:20am	Still	Outside city limits.					Outside city—Ada, Mich.			

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1915 Date Sept.	Time	No. Box	Location	Occupant	Owner	Occupied as	Class of Building	Cause of Fire or Alarm	Loss	Insurance	Value
10	8:15am	Still	229-233 Ransom av.	Mrs. E. J. Hamilton	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Back draught from furnace —no fire			
10	1:25pm	Still	1411 Parkwood av.	John Griffin	Geo. Termeer	Dwelling	Frame	Wyoming park—outside city.			
10	2:15pm	Still	710 College av. s. e.	Louis Kamins	M. Vander Stadt	Dwelling	Frame	Defective wiring.			
11	8:48am	Still	1033 Broadway av.					Lighted candle too near ex- posed alcohol	10.00	1000.00	2700.00
11	10:54am	Still	44 Ransom av. n. e.	Miss J. A. Furber	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Straw in basement ignited from furnace.			
11	7:50pm	435						False alarm			
13	12:22am	163	Watrous & Plainfield av.	St. Car Co.		Telephone pole	Frame	Thunder storm			
13	12:46am	Still	Wealthy & Ionia	City of G. R.	Same	Elec. light pole.	pole	Crossed wires igniting pole.			
13	7:55pm	53	348-50 W. Bridge st.	Jos. Necoski	Same	Automobile	Auto.	Lighted match thrown under car by pedestrian	35.00		450.00
14	1:47pm	Still	Jefferson av. & Green st.					Auto smoking			
14	7:15pm	Still	326 Goodrich st. w.	Jacob Zangenberg	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Defective electric connection	10.00	2200.00	2900.00
14	7:23pm	Still	1018 Madison av.	L. K. Beneker	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Lightning—electric wires	5.00	2500.00	3700.00
16	11:38am	Still	1146 Thomas st.	A. K. Eggeston	A. K. Eggeston	Barn	Frame	Boy playing with matches	225.00		275.00
18	12:04pm	Still	147 Grant st. s. w.	Wm. Clark	Mrs. H. Hessel	Dwelling	Frame	Oil mop ignited	52.00	1400.00	1900.00
21	10:19am	417	325 Crescent st.	Dr. R. H. DeCoux	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Spark from chimney igniting roof	466.00	2000.00	5500.00
21	4:07pm	254	333 Highland st.	Mrs. W. Rich	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Unknown	175.00	2000.00	3000.00
21	11:45pm	623	Ninth & G. R. & I. R. R.	Nelson-Matter Furn. Co	Same	Barn	Frame	Unknown	275.00	1500.00	2500.00
22	5:15am	727	55-57 Straight av. s. w.	L. Maier	Same	Auto	Auto	Trying to heat carburetor with burning paper.	10.00		350.00
23	6:05pm	315	61-71 Ellsworth av. s. w.	G. R. Wood Finish- ing Co.	Same	Factory	Brick	Supposed oily waste in over- alls	5.00	70000.00	80000.00
23	8:07pm	Still	Pearl St. Bridge	City of Grand Rapids	Same	Bridge	Cement	Wooden plank on west end of bridge set fire by hot ashes put there			
27	5:26pm	Still	522 Ottawa av. n. w.	Frank Stickney & others	Cusick Bros.	Dwelling	Frame	Unknown	20.00	2400.00	5200.00
28	7:50pm	Still	43 Hastings st. n. e.	Harry J. Vandenberg	Same	Auto	Auto	Short circuit in wires	25.00	750.00	900.00
29	7:19am	Still	26-28 Ottawa av. s. w.	Gilbert Estate	Same	Dwelling	Brick	Supposed spark from chim- ney ignited roof	5.00	10000.00	12000.00
30	8:12pm	Still	426 Grandville av. s. w.	Am. Art. Furn. Lea. Co.	Mrs. G. Kridler	Tannery	Frame	Not ascertained	155.00	2500.00	4000.00
30	10:30pm	Still	Bridge & Seward	L. S. & M. S. R. R.	Same	Freight house	Brick	Stove door left open caused reflection			

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Oct. 1	11:53pm	31	13-19 Ionia av. n. e.	Bishop Furn. Co.	Fox Estate	Stores & lodge rooms	Brick	Spark from chimney ignited papers	75.00	99000.00	160000.00
2	10:45am	Still	117 Pearl st.	Furn. Exhibition Bld.	D. H. Waters & Co.	Furn. exhibition	Brick	Unknown			
2	7:55pm	317	Buchanan & Prescott	Sligh Furniture Co.	Same	Factory	Brick	Spontaneous combustion			500000.00
2	7:58pm	325	Buchanan & Prescott	Sligh Furniture Co.	Same	Factory	Brick	Spontaneous combustion	1535.00	500000.00	
4	1:36pm	Still	Bridge st. outside city	Robert Graham	Same	Two barns	Frame	Outside city			
4	7:26pm	Still	132 Waverly Place	Geo. Fraam & others	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained			
5	3:20pm	Still	235 Travis st.	Geo. Laramy	Same	Dwelling	Frame	No fire	75.00	7500.00	6000.00
5	7:19pm	Still	W. Leonard & Scribner	Muskegon Power Co.	Same	Telegraph pole	Telegraph	Unknown			
5	10:04pm	123	223-225 Monroe av.	Wurzburg Dry Goods Co.	Same	Telegraph pole	pole	Unknown			
7	6:17am	Still	Ottawa & Crescent st.	City of Grand Rapids	P. C. Fuller Co.	Dept. store	Brick	Spontaneous combustion	70.00	390000.00	500000.00
8	3:43am	Still	314 Ellsworth av. s. w.	Hannik & Vrugink	City	Police Hdqts.	Brick	Supposed mice and matches	2.00		100000.00
8	12:56pm	156	Plainfield & Quimby		Same	Barn.	Frame	Supposed set by tramps			
9	1:14am	Still	Bartlett & Ionia s. w.	Brown & Sehler Co.		Automobiles	Autos.	Autos collided spilling gaso- line—boys ignited same			
9	6:40pm	Still	414 Bridge st.	A. Heimelstein & others	Paul Steketee	Farm Implmts.	Brick	Spontaneous combustion			
9	9:10pm	Still	31-39 Ionia av. n. w.	Mich. Tradesman	H. Smith & Chas. Keller	2 stores and liv- ing rooms	Frame	Cloth falling on lighted gaso- line stove	205.00	120000.00	133000.00
10	1:36pm	341			Barnhart Est.	Stores & print- ing office	Brick	Supposed smoke in chimney			
10	11:06pm	213	Maple st. near Sheldon					False alarm—box pulled by unknown			
11	5:10am	353	658 High st.	G. Browning & others	R. K. Straatsma	Dwelling	Frame	Basket of ashes against bldg.	10.00	2200.00	3100.00
11	12:45pm	Still	1437 Scribner av. n. w.	J. E. Eness	J. Eness	Dwelling	Frame	Lighting a match in closet	47.00	1500.00	2300.00
13	11:34am	Still	550 Michigan st.	K. S. Hudson	J. M. Van Zile	Dwelling	Frame	Book over chimney ignited	48.00	2000.00	3500.00
13	12:11am	274	1494-1500 Lake Drive	O. W. Chapman & others	F. C. Huebner	Living rooms	Brick	Supposed to be spontaneous combustion			
14	1:15pm	329	Godfrey & Market	Am. Box Board Co.	Same	Paper mfg plant	Brick	Supposed to be spontaneous combustion	335.00	12500.00	23850.00
14	8:08pm	Still	1899 Palace av.	Wm. Nimmo	Jas. Friar	Dwelling	Frame	Overheated stovepipe too near bedding			
15	7:46pm	27	14 Dozema av. n. e.	Nick Kick	Daniel Cooper	Dwelling	Frame	Child playing with matches	61.00	1400.00	2100.00
16	9:27am	Still	1062 Broadway av. n. w.	Mrs. S. Bettes	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Hot soldering iron coming in contact with woodwork	17.00	800.00	1200.00
17	9:03am	262	Thomas and Eastern av. s. e.	Reformed Church	Same	Dwelling	Frame		625.00	900.00	1700.00
18	4:22pm	Still	1748 Cusick Place	E. Van Houten	Same	Church	Frame	Overheated stove	120.00	4000.00	5300.00
19	11:41pm	213	Maple st. near Lagrave	E. Van Houten	Same	Leaves	Leaves	Burning leaves False alarm			

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Oct 21	9:25am	347	15-17 Sycamore st.	Am. Laundry & oth- ers	American Laundry	Barn & living rooms Dwelling	Brick	Not ascertained	1100.00	14800.00	19100.00
21	2:00pm	Still	734 Hilton av. s. w.	D. Ferris & R. H. Bailey	Ed. Walsh		Frame	Chimney burning out			
22	12:15am	3162						False alarm			
23	12:44am	3162						False alarm			
23	2:50pm	Still	North av. & Trowbridge				Rubbish	Boys set a pile of leaves on fire			
24	5:06pm	Still	554 Madison av.					False alarm			
25	10:55am	Still	Sheridan & Hall st.	City of Grand Rapids	Same	Vacant lot	Vacant lot	Leaves burning in vacant lot			
25	1:24pm	613	918 Scribner ave. n. w.	H. F. Worfel	J. W. Holcomb	Dwelling	Frame	Burning leaves	900.00	1600.00	2800.00
25	12:14pm	34	517 Ionia av. s. w.	G. B. Roof	Chas. McGregor	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained	800.00	1000.00	1600.00
26	10:03am	Still	1333 Quarry av. n. w.	A. Mohr	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
26	11:34am	Still	257 Terrace av. s. e.	David A. Miller	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained	1100.00	3000.00	4500.00
26	11:35am	241	257 Terrace av. s. e.	David A. Miller	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Same fire as still at 11:34 a.m.			
26	2:47pm	Still	Dale & Plainfield avs.	R. Dertien & others	Same	Leaves	Leaves	Burning leaves			
26	8:38pm	262	718 Sherman st.		Same	Tenement house	Frame	Baby garments hanging too close to stove	350.00	2700.00	5000.00
27	12:13am	126	231 Division av. n.	G. R. Vulcanizing Co. and others	O. Thum	Stores & garage	Brick	Short circuit in motor	30.00	20500.00	31200.00
28	6:11pm	Still	900 Park st. s. w.		Same	Dwelling	Frame	Gas light too near ceiling, ignited same	50.00	1500.00	5500.00
28	7:00pm	Still	Hall st. west of R. R.	Coit Estate	Same	Leaves	Leaves	Leaves burning in woods			
28	7:07pm	Still	1040 Chatham st. n. w.	Chas. Brown	Mrs. F. J. Kinney	Dwelling	Frame	Candle in pumpkin igniting curtains and woodwork	65.00	2500.00	3700.00
29	1:41pm	Still	351-365 Gunnison av. s. w.	O. Mendt	Thomas Bovax	Chicken house	Frame	Boys and matches	10.00		20.00
29	5:53pm	Still	446 Lagrave av. s. e.	Harold Benham	Geo. C. Fitch	Dwelling	Frame	Rubbish burning			
29	6:40pm	254	332 Highland av.	B. W. Eastman & others	B. W. Eastman	Garage	Frame	Automobile back-firing	15.00	1900.00	2400.00
29	7:14pm	262	747 Logan st. s. e.	H. Bon	E. V. Sinz	Dwelling	Frame	Lighted match dropped on couch in storeroom	60.00	1100.00	1600.00
29	12:13pm	347	635 Sheldon av.	M. Lloyd	A. Schaaf	Dwelling	Frame	Spark from chimney	225.00	800.00	1800.00
30	3:10pm	Still	Hall & Giddings av.			Leaves	Leaves	Small boy in woods burning leaves			
30	7:25pm	Still	845 Prospect av.	C. Kramer	Same	Wood shed	Frame	Not ascertained	15.00		15.00
31	7:29pm	Still	143 Pearl st. n. w.	J. W. Peters & others	Goodspeed Bros.	Stores & offices	Brick	Supposed cigar stub igniting awning			

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1915 Nov. 1	9:15pm	36									
1	11:32pm	Still	448-450 Bond av.	Wm. Burke	Northrup Estate.	Hotel	Brick veneer.	Unknown pulled box and ran away	13.00	5000.00	9000.00
1	12:10pm	Still	1076 Sheridan av.	J. Canfield	Gravel pit.	Gravel pit.	Brick veneer.	Smoking in bed			
2	3:55pm	Still	557 Division av.	Clyde Woodward	F. E. Tuttle	Dwelling	Frame	Rubbish in gravel pit	2.00	1200.00	1600.00
4	8:51am	413	116 Ransom av.	J. E. Post	J. E. Post	Garage	Frame	Spark in shingle roof	1000.00	1100.00	1500.00
4	8:51am	413	117 Barclay st.	Vacant	J. T. Hanrahan	Dwelling	Frame	Ashes too near barn	200.00	200.00	800.00
4	10:54am	322	Graham st. w. of Godfrey	Reynolds Roofing Co.	Same	Factory	Cement and tile	Caught fire from barn in rear			
5	1:21pm	135	527 Ionia av.	David J. Hay	E. N. Kruse	Dwelling	Brick and frame	Not ascertained	425.00	2400.00	3300.00
5	10:30pm	231	447 Ionia av. s. w.	W. S. Winegar & Son	Same	Store house	Frame	Unknown	650.00		1350.00
6	7:16am	41	6 Barclay Ct.	Reason Reed	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Defective chimney	39.50	1300.00	1500.00
6	10:28pm	313	Wealthy & Rosewood					False alarm			
6	10:30pm	313	Division & Maple s. e.					Intoxicated man turned in alarm			
6	11:00pm	312						False alarm			
6	11:02pm	312						Intoxicated man pulled box.			
7	1:45am	Still	226-234 Pearl st. n. w.	Herold-Bertsch	C. Bertsch	Shoe factory	Brick	False alarm			
7	2:25pm	25	415 Worden st.	Miss A. Fisher and others	Miss Fisher	Dwelling	Frame	Box of rubbish ignited from unknown cause	2.00	1850.00	4400.00
7	5:40pm	Still	Madison & Burton st.	John Cislak	Same	Dwelling	Grass	Burning grass			
9	12:32pm	Still	917 Springfield st.	John Sharp	Mrs. A. C. Stocking	Dwelling	Frame	Unknown	113.00	1600.00	1800.00
10	7:36am	Still	819 Jennette av.	G. Gleason	H. Carter	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
10	10:56am	Still	854 Broadway av. n. w.	Mary McAfee & others	Same	Dwelling	Brick veneer.	Chimney burning out			
12	10:24am	615	949 Broadway av. n. w.	Cornelius Vinke	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Supposed sparks from smoke stack of Am. Seating Co.	7.00	1200.00	2700.00
12	6:56pm	Still	722 Baldwin st. s. e.					No fire—imagined they smelt smoke			
13	7:45am	Still	Outside city	A. Wagner & others	Mrs. M. O'Donnell	Store & living rooms	Frame	Outside city			
13	10:27am	318	317 Commerce av. s. w.					Supposed spark igniting roof			
13	4:35pm	Still	Fairbanks & Lafayette.	C. L. Pleus	J. Dykman	Grocery & dwelling	Rubbish	Burning rubbish	229.40	1900.00	3100.00
13	8:55pm	726	159 Lane av. s. w.					Overheated oil stove			
13	11:45pm	Still	448-450 Bond av.	Wm. Burke	Northrup Estate	Hotel	Brick veneer.	Rubbish in wood-box ignited by cigar stub	5.00	5000.00	9000.00

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1915 Nov. 15	3:13pm	Still	517 Ottawa av.	E. K. Evans & others	E. K. Evans.	Printing shop & living rooms	Brick.	Children play'g with matches			
15	3:26pm	Still	208 Ellsworth av. s. w.	C. W. Mills.	Same	Wholesale paper store	Brick.	Defective connection to gas plate	153.10	40000.00	51000.00
15	1:17pm	Still	325 Graham st.	Veto Palagolo	Same	Dwelling	Frame.	Spark from chimney ignited shingle roof	5.00	500.00	1050.00
15	2:39pm	65	Webster & Front av. n. w.	G. R. Equipment Co.	Same	Finishing rooms	Frame.	Naptha too near gas plate.	85.00	Blanket 290000.00	113000.00
15	3:50pm	484	637 Michigan st.	C. M. Nash	T. Trostkoski	Grocery & dwelling	Frame.	Not ascertained—R. Lemoin injured	111.00	2800.00	4000.00
15	9:05pm	Still	300 Shawmut av. n. w.	G. R. Clock & Mantel Co.	Converse & Chick Est.	Factory	Frame.	Sparks falling out of clean-out in head of steam boiler	5.00	23000.00	28000.00
16	1:17pm	Still	1319-1323 Thomas st. s. e.	Unknown	Unknown	Dump'g ground.	Dumping ground	Rubbish burning			
16	8:46pm	Still	72 Monroe av.	Heystek & Canfield	Morton Estate.	Wallpaper store.	Brick.	Explosion of varnish remover			
17	10:32am	6						Could not ascertain as box had not been touched			
18	1:58pm	Still	332 Pleasant st. s. w.	B. Schliep & others.	Peter Van Oosten	Dwelling.	Frame.	Supposed defective stovepipe	190.00	1000.00	1750.00
18	6:54pm	67	North st. & Davis av. n. w.	Valley City Chair Co.	Same	Upholst. rooms.	Brick.	Supposed spontaneous combustion	319.26	Blanket 150000.00	40000.00
20	2:05pm	Still	135 Graham st. s. w.	Mrs. Pierce	Same	Dwelling.	Frame.	No fire			
20	3:20pm	Still	1425 Gibney Place.	Frank Petersen.	N. J. Gibney	Dwelling.	Frame.	Clean-out hole in chimney open			
21	10:39am	Still	410 Lagrave av. s. e.	H. L. Mann & others	Miss M. S. Malone.	Dwelling.	Frame.	No fire			
21	1:06pm	231	361 Division av. s. e.	E. Swisler & others.	G. R. Brewing Co.	Store & living rooms	Brick.	Overheated furnace ignited floor	111.57	12000.00	23500.00
22	1:34am	2451	Eastern av. & Baldwin st. e.	Bethany Ref. Church	Same	Church.	Frame.	Cigar on bookcase in basement	1220.72	7150.00	16000.00
22	6:28am	Still	50 Cottage Grove av.	Klise Mfg. Co.	J. A. Klise.	Factory.	Brick.	Overheated furnace igniting boards			
22	1:20pm	Still	Rear 412 Front av. n. w.			Tar kettle.	Tar kettle.	Tar kettle boiled over and caught fire			
22	8:27pm	10	Cor. Lyon & Division	J. Jacoboise	Same	Auto	Auto.	Back fire in auto.	140.00	2600.00	3700.00
22	9:35pm	Still	460 Fourth st.	Max Drasin	H. J. Avuns	Dwelling.	Frame.	Not ascertained	285.00	2500.00	9000.00
23	11:55pm	Still	227 Lagrave av. s. e.	J. Shields	E. J. Crossman	Dwelling.	Frame.	Hot stove ignited	5.00	Blanket	94000.00
24	11:40am	326	Godfrey & Hall st.	Excelsior Wrap. Co.	Same	Factory	Brick.	Oil stove explosion.	41.00	800.00	2400.00
24	5:10pm	532	417 Milwaukee av. n. w.	F. J. Applebauch	Andrew Ignasiak.	Dwelling.	Frame.		20.00	1000.00	1500.00
25	6:36pm	318	47 Commerce av. s. w.	Minnie Cornet	B. & C. J. Kelly.	Dwelling.	Frame.	Dropping a lighted lamp			

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Nov. 25	12:44pm	Still	161 Grant st. s. w.	H. W. McBride	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Supposed spark from locomotive ignited roof.	3.00	300.00	1100.00
28	7:24pm	Still	265 Orchard Hill s. e.	F. Stuart Foote	Same	Dwelling	Cement	Unknown	10.00	5000.00	7500.00
29	2:45pm	Still	1115 Scribner av. n. w.	W. Lee	F. French	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out.			
30	4:46pm	Still	226 Division av. n.	John Cummings	Watson & Higgins	Rooming house.	Frame	Gas from plate ignited papers on stove.			
30	6:03pm	Still	1112 Michigan st. n. e.	Unknown	Unknown	Dwelling	Frame	Smoke from chimney supposed coming thru roof.			
30	9:19pm	Still	514 Glenwood av s. e.	E. Morton	Geo. Parner	Dwelling	Frame	Back draught from hot air furnace			
Dec. 2	9:18pm	8	Cor. Monroe & Division	Peck Bros. Drug Co.	Rathbun Estate	Stores & offices.	Brick	Chimney burning out.			
3	4:25pm	412	133 Ransom av.	Dina Dacons	Dina Dacons	Rooming house.	Brick veneer.	Not ascertained			
3	6:12pm	Still	237 Albany st. s. w.	John Fodoe	E. A. Reynolds	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained	365.84	3000.00	3700.00
3	7:10pm	Still	1311 Broadway av. n. w.	A. Griegatus	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Supposed from a defective flue.			
3	12:02pm	Still	909 Hall st.	Herman Rooze	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Defective chimney	1659.00	1500.00	2400.00
4	9:23am	522	634-662 Front av. n. w.	Fox Machine Co.	Fox Typewriter Co.	Forging shop	Frame	Tempering forge too close to woodwork	10.00	1800.00	3100.00
4	10:13am	131	612 Monroe av.	Mueller & Slack Co.	Same	Furn, factory.	Frame	Hair and moss picker	6.89	3989.46	4654.95
4	11:32am	134	138 Michigan st.	F. J. Reilly & others	Greulich Clo. Co.	Saloon & living rooms	Brick and frame	Stove pipe passing thru partition without thimble.	101.48	15000.00	18000.00
4	10:30pm	Still	557 Division av.	Clyde Woodward	F. E. Tuttle	Dwelling	Frame	Defective chimney	100.00	5000.00	4500.00
4	12:36pm	53	335 Lexington av. n. w.	Grocers Baking Co.	Mrs. P. Braun	Bakery	Frame	Defective chimney igniting woodwork	15.00	900.00	1800.00
5	9:04am	7141	237-245 Front av. s. w.	Nachtegal Mfg. Co.	Same	Factory	Frame	Lantern tipped over by workman ignited oil around blower fan.	178.70	4500.00	8500.00
5	2:18pm	Still	265 Paris av. s. e.	W. L. Freeman	Joseph Renihan	Dwelling	Frame	Defective chimney	52.50	50000.00	50000.00
5	3:24pm	453	535 Lyon st.	D. M. Russell	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Defective hot air pipe where it went thru floor	53.55	4000.00	6500.00
5	5:13pm	725	119 Monroe av.	Dick Brink Co. & others	Mrs. C. Putnam	Stores & offices.	Brick	False alarm	252.46	3000.00	4400.00
5	6:17pm	551	552 Alabama av. n. w.	John Sagsauski	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out.			
6	1:50pm	Still	2, 3, 4 & 5 Richards Ct. s. e.	A. Galway & others.	Erwin Richards	Dwelling	Frame	Spontaneous combustion	53.00	500.00	1600.00
6	9:38pm	Still	571 Fourth st.	Andrew Starr	A. Menetoski	Dwelling	Frame	Furnace smoke pipe too near joist ignited same.	2.00	3500.00	8100.00
7	7:59pm	Still	61 Summer st. n. w.	M. J. Vanderschuren	Louis Covell	Dwelling	Frame	Hot stove pipe set ceiling on fire	35.24	2000.00	4000.00
7	9:34pm	Still						Not ascertained			

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1915 Dec. 11	8:28pm	Still	242 Bartlett st. s. w.	J. P. Wright & others	Lee Wright	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning			
11	10:54pm	131	500 Monroe av.	Mueller & Slack Co.	Same	Furn. factory	Frame	No fire—leak in sprinkler system			
13	5:34pm	Still	143 Pearl st.	J. W. Peters & others	Goodspeed Bros.	Shoe repair shop	Brick	Loose brush in motor caused short circuit	5.00	30000.00	44000.00
15	11:29am	Still	145-147 Pearl st. n. w.	United Cigar Store & others	Goodspeed Bros.	Store & restaurant	Brick	Smoke in building			
16	1:32pm	Still	265 Spencer st.	Wm. Tobin & others	Wm. Tobin	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning			
18	1:38pm	Still	820 McReynolds av. n. w.	W. S. Nowicki & others	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Defective flue	753.77	2400.00	3200.00
19	5:24pm	64	57 Monroe av. n. w.	J. W. Chase & others	Mrs. L. D. Steward	Offices & living rooms	Brick	Unknown pulled box for fun			
20	8:47am	Still	57 Monroe av. n. w.	J. W. Chase & others	Mrs. L. D. Steward	Offices & living rooms	Brick	Match head flew into a curtain, igniting same.			
21	8:18am	Still	815 Eastern av.	E. B. Phillips	Same	Offices & living rooms	Brick	Same fire as Still at 8:47 a.m.			
21	10:28pm	Still	4 Collins Place	Ira Dornan	Joel Collins	Dwelling	Frame	Unknown			
22	7:11am	313	301-305 Division av. s. w.	Forest E. Mann & others	A. J. Van Allsburg	Store & living rooms	Brick	Stove pipe came out of chimney			
22	1:43pm	31	Ionias & Fulton st. n. w.	Keller Transfer Co.	Same	Auto.	Auto.	Not ascertained	339.70	32500.00	57200.00
23	6:25am	Still	723 Seventh st. n. w.	K. Konezka	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Back-firing of carburetor igniting grease	10.00		1500.00
23	8:08pm	624	443 Sixth st.	J. W. Fox	Same	Excelsior works	Frame	Chimney burning out.			
23	12:45pm	Still	721 Burton st.	L. Van Dine	Mrs. S. Luce	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained	75.00		2000.00
24	7:56am	Still	547 Ionias av.	Van Gilst & others	H. Sprague	Dwelling	Frame	Stop out of chimney caused smoke in room.	1700.00	1100.00	2200.00
24	6:38pm	637	1017 Courtney st.	L. Timmerman	J. Van Der Veen	Dwelling	Frame	Unknown	100.00	800.00	3000.00
25	3:30am	Still	630 College ave.	M. F. Powers	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Started in box of old papers	575.40	5000.00	8500.00
25	5:02pm	25	815 Madison ave.	W. Spencer	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Paper draped in window.			
26	10:07am	375	139-141 Griggs st. s. e.	R. J. Pierce	Earl McCrath	Dwelling	Frame	Candle set fire to it	442.32	2500.00	5300.00
26	10:17am	123	313 Ionias ave. n. w.	Berton H. Martin	Wm. Delaney	Dwelling	Brick veneer.	Overheated stovepipe thru partition	161.60	1600.00	2500.00
27	5:44pm	121	Mill ave.	Bissell Cpt. Sweeper Co.	Same	Dry shed & fan room	Frame	Not ascertained	25.00	Blanket 500000.00	550000.00

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1915 Dec. 27	10:27pm	415	110 Michigan st.	Butterworth Hospital	Edward Lowe	Hospital	Frame	Furnace pipe against floor joist	36.00	6000.00	5300.00
27	10:27pm	247	231 Hudson Ct.	P. J. Lybaart	Tony Brakstra	Dwelling	Frame	Defective fireplace	5.00	1500.00	2300.00
28	4:45pm	Still	Cor. Wealthy & Lagrave	Dr. J. F. Cardwell	Same	Auto	Auto	Unknown			
28	6:02pm	413	120 Lyon st.	R. H. Bertushaw	Minnie Creque	Dwelling	Frame	Started in barrel of papers and rubbish			
28	6:41pm	3641	624 Michigan st.	F. Vander Til	Same	Dwelling	Frame	False alarm	711.00	3000.00	5000.00
28	11:43pm	434	Michigan & Bostwick	Globe Vise & Truck Co.	Silverman Bros.	Machine shop	Brick	Overheated oil heater	700.00	3000.00	5700.00
28	12:45pm	Still	710-712 Monroe ave.	Jos. E. Smith	Same	Dwelling	Brick	False alarm			
29	1:10pm	Still	1309 Butterworth st. s. w.	Mrs. E. Yager & others	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained	2340.12	13350.00	17500.00
29	9:07pm	325	710-712 Grandville ave.	Mrs. Yager & others	Jacob Reelman	Grocery & living rooms	Brick	Chimney burning out			
30	6:39am	141	Monroe & Mason	Berkey & Gay	Same	Furn. factory	Brick	Lighted gas stove ignited partition	965.00	8875.00	14700.00
30	8:33am	25	742 Morris av.	Geo. Miller	Same	Dwelling	Brick	Hot box	10.00	Blanket	
30	4:46pm	Still	65 Commerce av. s. w.	C. H. Mehrtens Est.	Same	Hotel annex	Frame	Not ascertained	1117.58	400000.00	450000.00
30	6:31pm	Still	Monroe & Division av.	Henry Smith & others	Mrs. H. P. Robinson	Stores & offices	Brick	No fire—smoke from chimney		2750.00	5000.00
31	4:32pm	Still	121 Delaware s. w.	J. A. Cook	J. F. Miller	Dwelling	Frame	Thought noise was house on fire			
1916 Jan. 1	1:16am	26	640-646 Wealthy st. s. e.	Wealthy Hts. Garage	J. C. Guilford	Garage	Brick	Chimney burning out			
1	5:32am	Still	1132 Division av. s.	John Thomas	Martin Dunnewind	Furniture store	Frame	Damper in stovepipe closed—smoke filled room			
2	8:13pm	614	317 Leonard st. n. w.	Celrite Grocery Co.	Schlitz Brewing Co.	Store	Brick	Chimney burning out			
3	4:18am	635	1116 Atlantic st. n. w.	Ed. Bloom	Ed. Bloom	Dwelling	Frame	Curtain too close to hot stove	225.85	1300.00	1650.00
3	5:20pm	Still	50 Benjamin av. n. e.	John Metson	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Defective chimney—floor joist laid into chimney flue	10.00	1000.00	2250.00
4	4:55pm	Still	543 Henry av. s. e.	David Smith	Mich. Trust Co.	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
5	5:10pm	Still	143 Lexington av. n. w.	Thos Delaney	Mrs. M. Janshejski	Store & living room	Frame	Chimney burning out			
5	9:15pm	Still	415-19 Ottawa av.	A. L. Joice & Son	Ancient Order Hibernians	Lodge rooms & bottling works	Brick	Unknown	15.00	16000.00	44000.00
6	8:12am	Still	430 Sinclair av.	Lewis Mills & others	Alta Bush	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
6	10:10am	Still	430 Sinclair av.	Lewis Mills & others	Alta Bush	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
6	7:55pm	Still	Sheldon & Delaware	Unoccupied	City of G. R.	School	Brick	Salamander in building—no cause for alarm			

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Jan. 7	8:57am	Still	823 Broadway av. n. w.	W. C. Konowitz & others	C. Korowitz	Dwelling.	Frame.	Apparently from a swinging gas jet	297.25	4800.00	5000.00
8	7:27am	Still	1959 Monroe av.	W. Quinn Co.	Mrs. C. M. Cardwell	Storage.	Frame	Unknown	45.00		
8	10:40am	Still	122 Putnam st.	Wm. Collins	Same	Dwelling.	Frame.	Chimney burning out.			
8	11:53am	Still	102 Benjamin av. n. e.	C. A. Mossbarger.	Same	Dwelling.	Frame.	Shavings and dust in hot air pipe burning.			
9	10:24am	Still	121 Shelby st.	Geo. Dickensheets.	Same	Dwelling.	Frame.	Chimney burning out.			
9	4:00pm	Still	550 Morris av. s. e.	Fred M. Boyland.	Same	Dwelling.	Frame.	Unknown	67.00	5000.00	7000.00
12	7:30am	Still	233-245 Monroe av.	Bertsch Market	Putnam Estate.	Market.	Brick	Reflector from salamander.			
12	8:38pm	Still	433 Jefferson av. s. e.	J. J. Bauser.	Same	Store & living rooms	Frame				
13	9:12am	Still	26 Grove st.	Mrs. J. McCraw & others	Mrs. M. Cudihy	Dwelling.	Frame	Hot air pipe igniting floor.	10.00	5100.00	8000.00
13	9:40am	Still	320 Benjamin av. s. e.	Bay E. Becker.	Same	Dwelling.	Frame	Soot—chimney sweep cleaning chimney	78.50	2900.00	3300.00
14	5:05am	Still	44-54 Ellsworth av. s. w.	Nat'l Grocery Co.	John Caulfield	Grocery	Brick	Spontaneous combustion	1039.52	8500.00	10000.00
14	10:21am	Still	822 Eastern av. s. e.	G. J. Alexander	Same	Dwelling.	Brick	Chimney burning out.			
15	9:34am	252	905 Sheldon av.	L. G. Breen.	Henry Mellerman.	Dwelling.	Frame.	Overheated furnace	1350.00	1800.00	3300.00
15	1:32pm.	Still	441 Dudley Place.	Claude Lonergan	John Kamp	Dwelling.	Frame.	Unknown—Mr. Lonergan cut hand and arm and burned slightly			
15	6:49pm	347	21 Grant st.	E. A. Krauss.	Mrs. Robsen	Dwelling.	Frame.	Chimney burning out.	525.00	400.00	1400.00
16	8:35am	Still	836 Sheldon av.	M. J. Minkler & others	Ebner Bros.	Dwelling.	Frame.	Chimney burning out.			
16	11:35am	723	—National av. s. W.	Presbyterian Church Assn.	Same	Church.	Frame	Defective furnace	428.86	3000.00	8000.00
16	5:20pm	341	541 Ionia av. s. e.	R. W. Mank.	J. A. Harty	Dwelling.	Frame	Not ascertained—boards in basement burned			
17	1:55am	Still	Scribner & Bowery.	G. R. Ry. Co.	Same	Car barn.	Brick	Not ascertained	1.50	51000.00	51000.00
17	8:29am	Still	311 Lafayette av. s. e.	Robert Cross	Wm. Glenn	Dwelling.	Frame.	Overturned lamp igniting building	95.00	600.00	1550.00
17	11:22am	362	1232 Euclid av. s. e.	Wm. Wheeler & others	H. Koning	Dwelling.	Frame.	Blow torch ignited siding thawing water pipes.			
17	1:05pm	Still	303 Madison av.	A. Canady	Same	Dwelling.	Frame	Chimney burning out.			
17	11:22pm	345	509 Division av. n. w.	McDonald & Co.	Gordon Dudley	Store.	Brick	Hot ashes in wooden keg	30.00	1800.00	3000.00
19	10:21pm	14	746-48 Monroe av. n. w.	S. Jettes & Son & others	P. J. Peters	Piano shop & feed store	Frame.	Not ascertained	3397.44	3100.00	9000.00
20	10:21am	515	N. Y. C. R. R., Shawmut av.	N. Y. C. R. R.	Same	Yard engine.	Iron & steel.	Fire box door open—curtain on engine cab draught fire	50.00	Blanket	14000.00

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Jan. 20	8:52pm	421	124 Newberry st.	W. R. Blank & others	H. Stacy	Dwelling	Frame	Gas heater set in partition	52.50	2500.00	4200.00
21	2:50am	Still	2010 Horton av. (outside city)	Mrs. Long & Sprague	Mr. Strickland	Hospital	Frame	Unknown			
21	12:55pm	274	454 Norwood av. s. e.	M. A. Fitz Gerald	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Boys and matches	417.00	2300.00	2800.00
22	8:40pm	Still	235 Brown st.	Geo. Bauer	George Bauer	Dwelling	Frame	Unknown	399.50	2800.00	3400.00
23	7:34pm	Still	1471 Genesee st. s. e.	C. S. Worden	H. S. Young	Dwelling	Frame	Emptying cigar tray into waste basket	151.25	5500.00	7000.00
25	9:43am	Still	236 State st. s. e.	A. Vander Stolpe & others	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Spark from chimney igniting roof	10.00	8000.00	17000.00
25	7:01pm	Still	715 Chatham st. n. w.	Amos Schubert	B. Heinbeck	Dwelling	Frame	Gas jet leaking—ignited Alarm turned in by demented man			
28	5:23pm	3162									
29	8:34am	181	406 Spencer st.	Mrs. C. Van Popering	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Defective chimney	499.00	1000.00	1900.00
29	7:04pm	Still	1057 Wealthy st. s. e.	E. N. Freyling	E. N. Freyling	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
30	11:06am	126	307 Ionia av.	Miss B. Sandler	M. A. Ryan	Dwelling	Frame	Overheated stovepipe	75.00	2400.00	3200.00
30	4:23pm	622						No cause for alarm			
31	7:45am	Still	324 Spencer st.	Miss A. Anson & others	Benj. Edge	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
Feb. 1	12:38pm	Still	240 Hollister av. s. e.	R. B. Vander Veen.	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Shingle used to stir fire then put it in waste basket	52.00	1500.00	2800.00
2	7:28pm	Still	334-336 Bridge st.	Smith & Schoonfield	Geo. Lehman	Store	Brick	Oil stove igniting in show widow	137.50	12000.00	22921.44
2	8:32pm	Still	1322 Scribner av. n. w.	W. Sargent & others	A. & A. Beal	Dwelling	Frame	Rubbish too near furnace	165.00	2500.00	2300.00
2	9:28pm	Still	536 Sheldon av. s. e.	Cassie Gorham	Wm. Quinlan	Dwelling	Frame	Smoke in building—no fire			
3	11:13am	Still	322 Cass av. s. e.	G. W. Shook	C. A. Kamp	Dwelling	Frame	Smoke in house—no fire			
3	3:50pm	2452	Packard & Lake Drive s. e.	G. M. Loucks	Same	Auto.	Automobile	Leaking gasoline pipe	10.00		175.00
4	4:21pm	Still	212-214 Ellsworth av. s. w.	G. R. Cigar Box Co.	Same	Factory	Brick	Spontaneous combustion			
4	8:23pm	Still	1061 Lake Drive s. e.	Wm. J. Kennedy	Same	Dwelling	Frame	People passing saw steam coming from hot water plant and turned in alarm			
7	8:58am	Still	1815 College v. s. e.	Mrs. S. Burnett & others	John Bucher	Dwelling	Frame	No cause for alarm			
7	1:49pm	Still	1048 Fulton st. e.	E. Reitmeyer	Geo. Holloway	Dwelling	Frame	Overheated hot air furnace scorched paper	10.00	1000.00	2200.00
7	8:52pm	Still	Rear 35-37 Pearl st. n. w.			Rubbish	Rubbish	Hot ashes in rubbish ignited same			
8	3:05am	312	124 Division av. s.	Williams & Swart & others	C. A. Wall	Stores & living rooms	Brick	Unknown	9.00	2400.00	4550.00

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Feb. 8	11:19am	Still	Wealthy & Fuller s. e....	Mrs. H. K. Brearley..	Same	Electric auto....	Auto.....	Power left on car while standing	70.00	600.00	800.00
8	8:40pm	543	946 Bridge st.....	O. F. Schad & others	John Coffey	Flat	Frame	Smoke from an overheated furnace			
9	3:35am	8	1-13 Division av. n.....	Skouros & Talas & others	Edw. Lowe	Stores & offices.	Brick	Matches on shelf igniting from unknown cause.	283.25	47500.00	81400.00
9	4:21am	458	520 Crescent st.....	C. S. Udell	Mrs. C. S. Udell	Dwelling	Frame	Overheated fireplace.	2953.92	20000.00	32000.00
9	10:38am	Still	Grandville & Wealthy s. w.	G. R. St. Ry. Co.	Same	Repair auto.	Auto.....	Leaking gasoline tank and electric spark ignited gaso-line			
9	7:50pm	Still						Reflection on building from a M. C. R. R. burning danager fuse			
10	5:00am	Still	1220 Monroe av.....	Henry Brobst	Henry Brobst	Boiler works	Cement blk...	Only waste (Jos. Brown's left wrist cut)	10.00	8800.00	21000.00
10	5:38am	Still	47 Division av. s.....	S. Sofic & others	A. M. Maris	Stores & living rooms	Brick	Unknown	138.00	4500.00	12000.00
10	11:18am	727	48 Straight av. s. w.....	Rev. O. W. Carr	Joy Memorial M. E. Church	Dwelling.	Frame	Supposed children & matches	51.00	2700.00	5000.00
10	12:55am	612						False alarm—broken glass			
10	4:55pm	Still	254 Ellsworth av. s. w....	J. Rash & H. Krum	Miss A. Locher	Dwelling	Frame	Defective chimney			
10	8:48pm	253	1202-1204 Madison av....	B. H. Dice & others	Chas. Menhenick.	Dry goods store.	Frame	Oil stove	36.80	8100.00	9650.00
11	2:25am	Still	Scribner & Bowery st. n. w.	G. R. Ry. Co.	Same	Office & car barn	Brick	No fire—overheated salaman-der set sprinkler heads off			
11	12:30am	235	512 Lafayette av.....	F. F. Golden.	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Electric flat iron.	90.00	3500.00	5500.00
11	7:12pm	Still	223 Shelby st.....	Roy Tyler	Mrs. M. Fallas.	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out.			
12	4:06pm	Still	281 Bridge st.....	Max Drasin	Brown & Sehler	Barber shop	Brick	Overheated oil stove.	15.00	3500.00	5500.00
12	4:07pm	253	1243 Madison av.....	H. Fralick	Mrs. J. Massenbrook	Blacksmith shop & living rooms	Cement and frame	Not known	50.00		2800.00
13	8:48pm	2	222 Monroe av.....	Gillicham & Smith Co.	K. A. Blake.	Picture theatre.	Brick	Chimney burning out.			
14	10:31am	Still	346-354 Fulton st.....	Mrs. M. Marks & others	C. M. Brown.	Tenement bldg..	Brick veneer	Thawing water pipes with blow torch	187.25	9750.00	16250.00
14	11:30am	3142	316 Market av. s. w.....	L. Brown & others.	Rev. F. W. Dill	Dwelling	Frame	Burning paper under a water pipe	250.00	500.00	1200.00
14	3:17pm	64	1286 Garfield av. n. w....	S. Vander Werf	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Thawing water pipe in basement	321.00	1700.00	1700.00
15	3:42am	Still	431 Vine st.....	Leo Bendekgey	Philip Smith	Dwelling	Frame	Spark from chimney	10.00	900.00	1400.00
16	3:49pm	Still						False alarm			

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17	Still	9:20am	1356-58 Grandville av....	Naylor Upholst. Co....	S. Naylor	Repair store	Frame	Burning excelsior & dropped some outside stove.			
17	Still	3:21pm	817 Division av....	B. S. Harris & others	B. S. Harris	Dwelling	Frame	Small girl playing with matches and box of papers	10.00	2000.00	5000.00
18	Still	2:35pm	433-435 Clinton Place....	Frank Cook & others	John Goodspeed	Dwelling	Frame	Spontaneous combustion in bag of rags.			
18	Still	3:55pm	513 Stocking av. n. w....	W. Wilson & others....	J. R. Ellis	Store & living rooms	Frame	Leaking gasoline from stove ignited			
19	Still	8:20pm	1009 Lafayette av. s. e....	B. A. Schoambeck....	L. W. Crandell	Dwelling	Frame	Clothing hanging too near hot stove	99.00	800.00	1400.00
20	3142	4:19am	268 Market av. s. w....	Geo. Hanna & others	Same	Grocery & dwell- ing	Frame	Supposed mice and matches.	200.00	1200.00	1100.00
20	Still	6:35pm	410 Marietta st....	C. West & others....	C. McGregor	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney fire		Blanket	8000.00
21	Still	4:46am	Wealthy & M. C. R. R....	Unoccupied	L. S. & M. S. Ry. Co.	Baggage car	Frame and steel	Unable to ascertain	50.00	8000.00	5500.00
21	Still	6:26am	57 Summer av. n. w....	Earl Edgel	Smith Bros. Rag & Metal Co.	Dwelling	Frame	Spark from locomotive	5.00	2300.00	
21	Still	9:47am	Kellogg & Eastern av. s. e.	W. H. Ellis	Same	Auto.	Auto.	Auto back-fired while crank- ing it	8.00		800.00
21	Still	10:14am	949 Ionia av. n....	Peter Weber	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained	112.00	1200.00	1400.00
21	424	9:00pm	932 Lafayette av. n. e....	John Vander Velde	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Overheated furnace	190.93	2500.00	3400.00
21	26	9:40pm	648 Wealthy st. s. e....	J. Van Ansick	J. A. Mohrhardt	Living rooms	Brick	Explosion knocked stovepipe down			
22	Still	9:59pm	1406 Plainfield av....	Geo. Masterson	D. M. Vincent	Picture theatre.	Frame	Electric fuse burned out.	637.62	6797.68	7070.52
23	522	6:43pm	634 Front av....	Fox Machine Co....	Same	Foundry & coke shed	Frame	Not ascertained		Blanket	9000.00
24	325	3:48am	247 Grant st. s. w....	Reliable Transfer Co.	Same	Barn	Frame	Unable to ascertain.	8,458.12		
24	Still	7:24am	Norwood av. & Robinson Road	Vacant	W. R. Cornellus	Dwelling	Cement.	Workmen had fire in build- ing to heat material			
24	Still	7:45pm	Division & Graham st.	Mike Koleczynk	Louis Bunyk	Dwelling	Frame	False alarm			
24	Still	12:25pm	305 Seward av. n. w....	Mrs. G. Harrison	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Spark from chimney.	5.00	1000.00	2100.00
25	345	1:43am	101 Pleasant st....	I. Morland	Berkey & Gay	Bicycle repair shop	Frame	Not ascertained	325.00	4000.00	9000.00
25	Still	2:10pm	939 Ottawa av....	Richard Tanis	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Gasoline tank on motorcycle ignited	50.00	1000.00	2100.00
25	Still	7:15pm	1559 Coit st....	L. R. Ellis	Same	Dwelling	Frame	No cause for alarm			
26	Still	4:54am	851 Worden st....	R. Twyman	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Burning papers in basement			
26	251	1:46pm	245 Powell st....	John Rabbis	John Rabbis	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out.			
27	Still	3:15am	325 Matilda st. n. e....	John Nond	M. J. Hendee	Dwelling	Frame	Defective chimney			

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Feb. 28	1:09pm	6	418 Worden st.	W. C. Bremer	W. C. Bremer	Dwelling	Frame	False alarm			
28	8:16pm	25	222 N. Division av.	C. Whitney	F. Watson	Dwelling	Frame	Hot water pipe burst in furnace			
29	5:18pm	Still	441 Woodlawn st.	L. Skipper	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Cardboard on chimney hole ignited			
29	12:59pm	253	Rear 928 Alpine av. n.w.	Alpine Ave. Church	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Rubbish under stairs in basement	282.50	2500.00	2900.00
Mar. 1	5:09pm	632	1229 Euclid st.	Wm. Wheeler & others	Same	Stables	Frame	Not ascertained	5.00		200.00
2	11:45am	Still	1914 Palace av.	Chester Huff	H. Koning	Dwelling	Frame	Spark from chimney on shingle roof	100.00	3000.00	5000.00
2	8:51pm	Still	1014 Second st.	Mrs. A. Larson	Wm. Noggles	Machine shop	Frame	Not ascertained	500.00		600.00
2	11:28pm	542	438 Stocking av.	Ed. Smith & others	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Defective chimney	5.00	2000.00	3200.00
3	4:16pm	53	Earl st. s. w. & L. S. & M. S. R. R.	L. S. & M. S. R. R.	L. Markham	Store & living rooms	Frame	Overheated stovepipe igniting coiling	110.00	1200.00	3950.00
3	6:05pm	Still	M. S. Ry.	G. Heinzelman	Same	Tool house	Frame	Spark from chimney	5.00		100.00
3	8:27pm	295	28 Lovell av. n. e.	F. Bolger & others	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
4	11:04am	3142	311 Bartlett st. s. w.	F. Elston	John Wellman	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning—sparks igniting roof	4.00	1400.00	3000.00
4	2:06pm	Still	Wealthy & Robey Place s. e.	F. Elston	F. Elston	Auto.	Auto.	Back-fired on leaking carburetor	10.00		800.00
4	7:34pm	Still	131 Franklin st.	John Caruso	John Caruso	Dwelling	Frame	Broken gas pipe—no fire			
5	2:08am	181	350 Quimby st.	M. Van der Huff	Same	Chicken house	Frame	Lighted lantern in chicken house			
7	2:30am	Still	898 Banner av.	Mrs. A. J. Ritchie	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained—outside city	44.36		9200.00
8	10:52am	135	411 N. Ionia av.	Mrs. H. Gravenrood	G. R. Brewing Co.	Dwelling	Frame	Stove too near woodwork	50.00	5500.00	9200.00
8	11:45am	347	644 Sheldon av.	H. O. Rose & others	G. Iley	Grocery & living rooms	Frame	Defective chimney		1600.00	4800.00
8	5:23pm	Still	315 Crescent st.	Don E. Minor	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Fire fell out of clean-out hole on papers	5.00	2700.00	5000.00
9	9:47am	552	105-113 Campau st.	Lubetsky Bros. & others	Leon T. Closterhouse	Cigar factory	Brick	Short circuit in motor			
9	3:49pm	524	656 Turner av. n. w.	J. Odejewski	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
9	3:56pm	Still	34 Sweet st.	J. Newhouse	Same	Dwelling	Brick	False alarm			
10	4:46am	52	502-504 Front av.	H. E. Barelay	Same	Wagon & paint shop	Frame	Not ascertained	5000.00	3800.00	8500.00
10	5:20pm	5351	317 Sunrise av.	Geo. D. Andree	O. N. Watson	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained	195.00	1000.00	3300.00

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Mar. 11	9:14am	374	1905 Horton av.	G. J. Koning	C. D. Thornton	Dwelling	Frame	Overheated chimney too near joist, igniting same	17.83	2300.00	3200.00
11	9:18pm	Still	731 Paris av.	C. M. Droste	Mrs. Barrett	Dwelling	Frame	Gas water heater	6.00	3500.00	5100.00
12	11:25pm	Still	48-56 Seward av. n. w.	Huebner Brewg. Co.	Same	Office & storage	Frame	Spark from chimney igniting shingles on roof	2.00	600.00	2000.00
13	4:10am	622	Rear 462 Fourth st. n. w.	Vacant	J. Sauiers	Barn	Frame	Unknown	40.00	200.00	250.00
13	4:10am	622	Rear 470½ Fourth st. n. w.	Geo. Toogood	Geo. Toogood	Dwelling	Frame	Caught from barn at 462 Fourth st.	110.00	200.00	500.00
13	9:24am	4	101-107 Lyon st. n. w.	Norris Est. & others	Norris Estate	Stores, offices & printing shop	Brick	No fire			
13	7:14pm	63	757 Leonard st. n. w.	A. Griffin	Same	Meat market	Brick	Gas igniting cover of lard kettle	1.00	3000.00	10000.00
13	12:28pm	67	1574 Muskegon av. n. w.	J. Masjgo	City of G. R.	Dwelling	Frame	Sparks from chimney	3.00	600.00	1400.00
14	5:16am	316	54-58 Oakes st. s. w.	Fraam Bros.	L. D. Mehrrens	Restaurant, pool room & fruit store	Brick	Waste paper too near dish washing machine operated by gas—ignited			
14	1:30pm	Still	1220 Dunham st.	Mrs. E. A. Bowie	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
14	7:18pm	614	1212 Front av. n. w.	W. Tenhopen	F. Vanden Bosch	Dwelling	Frame	Stovepipe too near woodwork in ceiling	60.00	1000.00	1400.00
15	3:35am	67	1567 Seward av. n. w.	W. Stadaninkute	City of G. R.	Dwelling	Frame	Supposed incendiary	610.00	1200.00	1700.00
15	11:41am	Still	710 Ionia av. s.	C. F. Smith	Mary Murphy	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
15	3:40pm	Still	1441 Madison av.	H. J. Foster	Presbyterian Church	Dwelling	Frame	Sparks on shingle roof			
15	7:15pm	Still	328 Jefferson av. s. e.	J. J. Hallett & others	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out	2.00	3500.00	5000.00
15	8:55pm	Still	621 Livingston av.	C. Everhart	C. Everhart	Dwelling	Frame	Spark from chimney ignited roof	3.00	1350.00	2400.00
16	7:00am	Still	— Jefferson st.	Geo. S. Stone	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
16	8:52am	Still	217-219 Ghilda Place	G. McFarland & others	E. J. Abell	Dwelling	Frame	Spark from chimney igniting roof			
16	4:40pm	Still	Oakland & Pleasant s. w.	Vacant	Same	Grass	Grass	Boys and matches			
16	4:45pm	Still	614 Franklin st.	L. E. Benjamin	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Small boy playing with matches	108.00	2000.00	3000.00
16	5:15pm	72	21 Gold av. n. w.	L. Lohr	L. Lohr	Dwelling	Frame	Spark from chimney on dwelling	11.00	800.00	5500.00
16	6:00pm	Still	1915 Russell av.	Peter Madison & others	C. A. Spears	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
16	6:50pm	Still	— Buchanan st.			Grass	Grass	Burning grass			
17	5:47am	Still	56-66 Seward av. n. w.	G. R. Sticky Paper Co.	Same	Factory	Brick and frame	Supposed spark from boiler igniting cuttings on roof			

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Mar. 17	1:45pm	Still	West Bridge St. Road (outside city)	J. C. Maynard	J. C. Maynard	Farm residence	Frame	Defective chimney			
17	2:04pm	Still	1043 Lafayette av. s. e.	O. S. Johnson	P. J. Hughes	Dwelling	Frame	Meat on stove boiled dry, causing smoke			
17	7:19pm	Still	Buchanan av.			Grass	Grass	Someone set grass fire			
17	8:58pm	Still	129 Boswick av. n. e.		C. F. Gantz	Dwelling	Frame	Escaping steam			
17	11:51pm	26	Henry near Logan st.	Baptist Church	Church Assn.	Church	Frame	Chimney burning out			
19	9:24am	Still	1060 Cass av. s. e.	H. L. Stewart	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained	30.00	2800.00	3400.00
19	9:26am	417	335 Crescent st.	J. L. Broughton	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Spark from chimney ignited roof	315.00	4000.00	6000.00
19	10:46am	Still	139 Antoine st.	Wm. Carney	Peter Joffa	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained	67.00	1350.00	2600.00
20	9:30am	Still	1427 Robinson Road	East End Fuel Co.	Same	Feed & fuel storage	Frame	Paper sacks filled with coke over hot air register	20.00	1500.00	4800.00
20	8:06pm	Still	845 Fremont av. n. w.	H. DeBoer	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Sparks from match	26.40	2300.00	4300.00
21	3:02am	124	243-245 Monroe av.	Mr. Bertsch	Same	Groc'y & market	Frame	Sparks from smoke house			
21	8:11pm	343	742 Division av.	Vacant	George Fitch	Barn	Frame	Supposed set on fire by small boys			
21	8:23pm	Still	708 Sherman st.	John R. Dirteen	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Pouring gasoline from can— lighted lantern ignited it	1.75		
21	10:16pm	2451	758 Cherry st. s. e.	Wm. W. Christensen & others	Same	Living rooms	Frame	Chimney burning out			
22	5:06pm	Still	417 Quimby st.	P. C. Houtman	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
22	8:03pm	Still	141 Michigan st.	Hermitage Realty Co.	Same	Hotel	Brick	Cigarette stub			
24	10:22am	457	121 Lyon st.	John Vincent	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Child dropped paper bag on fire into papers	6.00	1500.00	2800.00
24	9:55pm	Still	908 Eastern av.	Emma V. Jones	Emma V. Jones	Dwelling	Frame	Electric flat iron on ironing board			
24	11:38pm	52	Rear 524 Front av.	Rempis & Gallmeyer	Same	Foundry	Foundry	Spark from metal pot	3.00	500.00	1000.00
25	12:53am	131	519-21 Monroe av. n. w.	C. Phelps & Kent	Same	Factory	Brick	Not ascertained	20617.56	18500.00	35000.00
26	11:12am	Still	1210 Fulton st. e.	Jas. B. Muldoon	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Overheated steam boiler			
26	6:43pm	Still	1032 Baxter st. s. e.	Peter Weemhof others	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
26	10:30pm	Still	15-17 Graham st.	Geo. Thwing & Co.	Nicholas Werkema	Dwelling	Frame	Building collapsed—no fire			
28	3:49am	142	911 Ottawa av.	M. D. Berman	R. J. Wetherall	Garage	Brick	Not ascertained	328.17	700.00	1200.00
28	5:38pm	53	Bridge st. & L. S. & M. S. Freight House	T. Klooster	Della Fitz Patrick	Meat market	Frame	Supposed back-fire from truck engine	46.00	700.50	1400.00

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Mar. 29	1:35am	Still	325 Union av. s. e.	J. K. V. Agnew	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained	188.18	4000.00	6500.00
30	9:00am	Still	151 Dale st.	Mrs. L. Warren	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Sparks from chimney	2.00	5000.00	6000.00
30	6:44am	Still	56-66 Seward av. n. w.	G. R. Sticky Fly Paper Co.	Same	Factory	Frame	Leaking sprinkler—false alarm			
30	5:32pm	Still	Rear 124-126 Ionia av. s. w.	G. R. Taxicab Co.	Same	Taxi cab	Taxi	Supposed short circuit of battery wires			
30	5:33pm	Still	Rear 124-126 Ionia av. s. w.	G. R. Taxicab Co.	Same	Taxi cab	Taxi	Same fire as still at 5:32 p.m.	15.00		750.00
31 April	10:37pm	274	Wealthy & Ethel s. e.					False alarm. (H. Seaman arrested for pulling box—fined \$38.35)			
1	2:50pm	Still	1632 Stoddard av.	Vacant	Coit Estate	Rubbish	Rubbish	Burning rubbish			
1	9:53pm	54	646 Stocking av.	Riechel Drug Co. & others	Jas. Friar	Drugs & living room	Brick	Spark from chimney set fire to awning			
2	1:55pm	Still	223 Bostwick st.	L. M. Wilber & others	Jennie Farwell	Dwelling	Frame	Pipe from gas heater too near woodwork	10.00	10500.00	16000.00
2	2:55pm	Still	Oakland near Pleasant.	Vacant		Tent	Tent	Small boys had tent which ignited, burning grass	15.00	1600.00	2900.00
2	3:05pm	Still	Outside city.			Rubbish	Rubbish	Burning rubbish			
3	8:40am	Still	Wealthy st. Bridge.	G. R. Fire Dept.	Same	Supply auto	F. D. supply auto	Blade on drive wheel brake broke gasoline feed pipe and motor ignited gasoline			
3	4:04pm	Still	700 Jackson st. n. w.	H. Lyon & others	Mrs. M. Ledward	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained	20.00		300.00
3	9:25pm	351	615 "A," st.	H. Bosch	F. Jackson	Dwelling	Frame	Leaking gas meter	278.15	1200.00	3200.00
4	10:45am	Still	639 Sheldon av.	Mrs. A. Bacon	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Spark from chimney	2.00	1000.00	2000.00
4	11:14am	Still	550 Spencer av.	J. Michigelsen	Henry Roseberry	Dwelling	Frame	Boys had bonfire under porch	20.00	1000.00	2500.00
4	11:57am	Still	Bradford & North st.			Dwelling	Frame	Grass fire	13.00	3000.00	4000.00
4	10:10pm	Still	1018 Wealthy st. s. e.	T. J. Havens		Store	Frame	Smoke from chimney—false alarm			
6	2:45pm	Still	Buchanan near Ridge st.			Grass	Grass	Grass burning—apparatus stuck in water main excavation			
6	2:45pm	Still	Buchanan near Ridge st.			Grass	Grass	Unknown			
7	7:50pm	613	726 Front av. n. w.	Haney School Furn. Co.	Same	Factory	Brick	Dust around smoke stack on roof igniting			
7	12:50pm	Still	Buchanan Marsh.			Grass	Grass	Not ascertained	10.00	5500.00	5500.00
8	11:04am	Still	507 Brainerd av.			Rubbish	Grass and rubbish	Woman burning rubbish			

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April 8	12:23pm	Still	233 Canton st.	Jos. Hatton	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
9	11:58am	Still	1310 Morgan st. n. w.	P. Vander Heida	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
9	4:35pm	Still	Coldbrook & R. R.	Vacant	City of Grand Rapids	Grass	Grass	Unknown			
10	6:25am	Still	529 Lyon st.	Mrs. W. M. Adams	Same	Dwelling	Frame	No fire—a little smoke got in house			
10	10:04am	Still	1593 Fulton st. e.	Mathias Aiken	Same	Dwelling	Grass	Unknown			60000.00
10	12:56am	551	121-23 Monroe av. n. w.	F. W. Woolworth & Co., & others	W. H. McConnell Est.	5 & 10c store	Brick	Not ascertained	13100.00	47000.00	
10	1:03pm	Still	217 Ransom av.	F. Bywaters & others	Mrs. H. B. Fallas	Dwelling	Frame	Spark from Chimney ignited roof			
10	1:21pm	18	534 Carrier st.	G. Farr	John Mulligan	Dwelling	Frame	Spark from bonfire	8.00	1500.00	6500.00
10	2:25pm	Still	1401 Butterworth av.s.w.	Vacant lot	M. Fitz Gerald	Grass	Grass	Grass burning	550.00	1500.00	2500.00
10	4:35pm	Still	606 Lincoln av.			Grass	Grass	Bonfire set fire to dry grass			
11	4:14pm	Still	861 Nagold st.	Jos. Miskiewicz & others	Jos. Sobczak	Dwelling	Frame	Child with lighted candle ignited window curtain			
11	7:28pm	Still	Front av. s. w.	E. S. Kiefer	E. S. Keifer Tan. Co.	Tannery	Frame	Spark from clean-out on boiler igniting woodwork.	47.20	1500.00	2700.00
12	2:22pm	Still	McKee av. outside city limits	Chas. Van Tatten	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained—outside city			
12	12:44pm	Still	226 Ellsworth av. s. w.	W. C. Hopson	Same	Factory	Iron-clad	Friction ignited rope on press where metal ceiling is stamped	3.00	240.00	305.00
13	1:13pm	Still	Oakland & Pleasant s.w.	Vacant lot	Vacant lot	Grass	Grass	Supposed boys playing with matches			
13	1:58pm	Still	Watson & Gunnison av.	Vacant lot	Vacant	Public dump	Rubbish	Children setting fire to rubbish			
13	9:55pm	513	83 Front av. n. w.	Phoenix Plating & Mfg. Co.	W. J. Whitney	Foundry	Frame and brick	Supposed overheated smoke-stack	103.90	2800.00	49000.00
14	3:45am	Still	83 Front av. n. w.	Phoenix Plating & Mfg. Co.	W. J. Whitney	Foundry	Frame and brick	Rekindling of former fire			
14	11:44am	Still	Rear of Gas office			Cable in conduit	Cable in conduit	Short circuit			
14	1:07pm	Still	Canton & P. M. R. R.	Brummeler & Van Strien	Same	Factory	Frame	Not ascertained	5.00		1700.00
14	4:40pm	Still	Corrinne st.				Grass	Burning grass			
14	8:38pm	7121						False alarm			
15	7:48am	Still	14 Island st. s. e.	Valley City Motor Car Co.	A. M. Maris	Garage	Brick	Spark from furnace igniting rubbish in basement			

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16	11:48am	Still	63 Banner av. outside city	L. E. Yeakey	V. Patterson	Dwelling	Frame	Not ascertained			
17	10:54am	Still	Rear 714 Terrace av. s. e.	J. S. Junkin	Same	Dwelling	Leaves	Children setting fire to leaves			
17	9:20pm	Still	708 Scribner av. n. w.	M. Campton	Same	Dwelling	Frame	Unknown	31.50	4000.00	5000.00
17	10:34pm	415	433 Clinton Place	Frank Cook & others	John Goodspeed	Dwelling	Frame	Gas jet too near ceiling	6.00	1000.00	2800.00
18	11:50am	Still	507 Brainerd st.			Grass	Grass	Burning rubbish set grass on fire			
18	10:56pm	2612						False alarm			
18	12:25pm	Still	Lyon & Eastern av.			Rubbish	Rubbish	Boys set fire to rubbish in dumping ground			
18	12:35pm	316	124-126 Ionia av. s. w.	G. R. Taxi Co.	Same	Garage	Brick	Spontaneous combustion in oil waste			
19	11:43am	Still	408 Eastern av. s. e.	A. Boerce	Dr. C. Wolford	Dwelling	Frame	Chimney burning out			
20	12:10pm	Still	524 Morris av.	J. M. McPherson & others	H. Beecher	Dwelling	Frame	Head of match flew into cot- ton when it was lighted			
22	3:08pm	Still	1019 Sigsbee st. s. e.	Z. C. Cloutier	Mrs. Jas. O'Donnell	Dwelling	Frame	Child playing with matches	57.00	1200.00	2300.00
24	5:31pm	3161	Rear 48 Cherry st. s. w.	C. Hoertz & Son	Same	Tool shed	Frame	Supposed boys smoking ig- nited shed	10.00		35.00
25	8:58pm	131	Trowbridge near Bond				Rubbish	Burning rubbish		Blanket 225000.00	
26	7:37pm	652	1540 Broadway av. n. w.	Imperial Furn. Co.	Same	Warehouse	Frame	Not ascertained	5600.00		27000.00
27	3:45am	Still	N. Fuller & Malta	Tuberculosis Sani- tarium	City of G. R.	Sanitarium	Frame	Spark from smoke pipe fall- ing on roof	7.00		1300.00
27	5:13pm	3161	37 Cherry st. s. w.	M. Kelly & others	Fred Huebner	Grocery & room- ing house	Frame	Not ascertained	964.00	8300.00	7200.00
27	11:53pm	652	1640 Broadway av. n. w.	Imperial Furn. Co.	Same	Warehouse	Frame	Unknown	26050.00	228000.00	26400.00
28	4:30am	Still	48-56 Seward av. n. w.	Huebner Toledo Brewing Co.	Same	Storage & bot- tling plant	Frame				
28	10:22am	Still	44-54 Ellsworth av.	National Grocery Co.	John Caulfield	Wholesale groce'y	Frame	Spark from chimney igniting shingles on roof			
28	6:05pm	Still	Commerce & Cherry st.				Brick	Leaking sprinkler system			
29	11:59am	Still	069 Sheldon av.	C. Striel	J. C. Daverman	Milk depot	Frame	False alarm Burner of kerosene stove overflowing	8.00	1000.00	55.00





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